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HEREIN LIES THE REMEDY

Seattle, Wash., Nov. 30, 1919.
Every week the Citizen comes to us across the continent and is the principle factor in keeping us in touch with the interests and activities of our native town.

I was particularly interested in the issue of November 13th which contained an article entitled "Wherein Lies the Remedy," by M. T. G. It seems to me that this article has struck the key note in suggesting the remedy for the flood of Bolshevism, Anarchism and general lawlessness that is at present menacing our country and its institutions.

As this article suggests, education in material lines has proven a failure; but there is a power above and beyond all this that never fails.

It has been said that Napoleon, when near the end of his power, made the remarkable statement to the effect that spiritual power was mightier than physical force.

Had he understood this force and applied it he would have made a different history for France if not for the whole world.

In the church lies the remedy, only in using the word church we do not mean any creed or denomination, but that institution which elevates the race and raises the sleeping faculties to a higher and better understanding of God and man. I mean the religion as taught and demonstrated by Jesus the Christ.

"Be still and know that I am God," we read in the Psalms, and "God is our refuge and strength, a very present help in time of trouble." These are not mere words but are demonstrable truths.

If we listen for the voice of God we shall surely hear it, not through the auditory nerve, perhaps, but in ways just as unmistakable.

In Isaiah we read, "And thine ear shall hear a word behind thee saying, 'This is the way walk ye in it when ye turn to the right hand and when ye turn to the left.'"

God will fight our battles for us in the twentieth century as surely as he did those of the Israelites when the Lord said, "Be not afraid nor dismayed for the battle is not yours but God's."

Not that we are to sit quietly down while the Reds scatter their anarchistic propaganda, unopposed over our country. Never was there greater necessity for us to be alert and initiative.

Every thinking man and woman knows that quick and decisive action is necessary; but let it be right action, inspired thought will lead to inspired action when we shall find that "the word of God is quick and powerful and sharper than any two edged sword."

The people of America are facing a mighty problem. No mortal mind has as yet suggested a possible solution for it. Riots and bloodshed are everywhere until we are almost ready to say with Job: "Terrors are turned upon me; they pursue my soul as the wind."

It is interesting to note the attitude of Robert Lansing, Secretary of State, in an address before the conference of the Presbyterian Church at Lake Geneva, Wisconsin. He says in substance that the church must teach the people to apply spiritual methods to the solution of human problems.

This is not a new theory but one that has fallen into disuse. Moses, David, Isaiah, Paul, Martin Luther and others taught the same thing.

What the world needs is an understanding that the spiritual is worth while. Herein lies the remedy.

M. E. M.

SLOAN—CLARK

Mr. Roger Sloan and Miss Elizabeth Clark of Lewiston were married last Wednesday morning at St. Joseph's church in Lewiston.

Mr. Sloan is well known in Bethel as the parent of the late, and he attended school at Gould's Academy, later graduating from Norway High School.

Mr. Sloan is one of Lewiston's estimable young men.

After a short visit in Portland, Mr. and Mrs. Sloan will be at their home on Pine street in Lewiston.

GRAB PARTY

Thanksgiving afternoon a small group of young people gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Poole where they were regally entertained by Mr. and Mrs. Montague Ayres assisted by Mr. and Mrs. Albert Poole.

The playing of cards in the afternoon was the "grab bag" where each one secured several little gifts. Games were played and refreshments of punch and

UPSON—HODGDON

A brilliant dinner was given by Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Blakeley of Chicago in the private dining room at the Bethel Inn on Thanksgiving night. At the close of the dinner Dr. Gehring arose and in a few sympathetic words spoke of what the day means in family life, and quoted what he said had always been an appealing sentence to him.

"He setteth the solitary in families," and as an illustration to the beautiful test, he announced the engagement of Mr. Wm. Jewell Upson to Miss Nina Hodgdon.

The rest of the evening was filled with warmest congratulations, as not only the guests of the house were delightfully cordial, but the townspeople present were enthusiastic over the new relations between two well-beloved people.

Mr. Wm. Upson's course among us these years has been marked by such public-spirited and private generosity as to have endeared him to this entire community. No good cause has lacked his support. And the entire village seems given over to a hearty expression of good wishes that to one who has given much, the best of earthly gifts has come to him.

Miss Nina Hodgdon and her two sisters have been examples of beautiful New England gentleness to all who have known them from childhood. Miss Nina Hodgdon has long been the admiration of Bethel people—and also in the large circle in which she has moved with such dignity and sweetness.

Wherein she may find herself in the broad life now opening before her—no one doubts that the rare qualities that have distinguished her in the past will mark her future. Bethel rejoices in the love both have for our village, and congratulates itself upon the wide-spread influence for good this marriage will bring to all within our border.

At four P. M., Tuesday afternoon, December 2nd, at the residence of Dr. J. G. Gehring, Mr. Wm. Jewell Upson and Miss Nina Hodgdon were united in marriage by the Rev. W. C. Curtis and departed for a short stay in regions unknown.

BETHEL GIRL WINS SCHOLARSHIP

Bethel friends are delighted to learn that Miss Blanche E. Herrick who recently went to Boston to act as pianist for Mrs. J. W. Carter of Bethel, has won a valuable scholarship. Under this scholarship Miss Herrick will study the piano with Newton Swift, who is considered one of the foremost instructors in New England.

It is understood that Miss Herrick was chosen from among a number of young musicians on account of the delicacy of her touch. She studied some time with the best teachers in Portland and has been a favorite pianist in Bethel for several years. She has also acted as organist at the Bethel Congregational church.

She was recently chosen organist at the Winter Hill Universalist church at West Somerville, Mass.

FORMER GOULD'S ACADEMY PRINCIPAL DIES IN MONTANA

Eastern relatives and friends were informed a week ago of the death of Arthur D. Hall, some years since a Principal of Gould's Academy at Bethel. Mr. Hall lived in Montana of recent years, and was established as superintendent of schools at Three Forks. He leaves a devoted wife and little family of five children, four sons and a daughter, to mourn their loss.

Although it is a number of years since Mr. Hall has been among people of this vicinity his strong character, his industry and conscientious service in school and community are well remembered by his many pupils and other friends. He is survived by his mother, Mrs. Harker Hall of Windham, one brother and three sisters, one of whom, Miss Alice Hall of Everett, Mass., was one of his teachers at the Academy in Bethel.

The annual meeting of the Bethel Bank of the Bethel National Bank will be held in the banking room of said bank (in Bethel, Maine) on Tuesday, the 10th day of January, 1920, at two o'clock in the afternoon for the purpose of electing directors for the coming year and the transaction of any other business that may legally come before said meeting.

ELBERT C. PARK, Cashier
Dec. 1st, 1919.

MAGAZINE SUBSCRIPTIONS AND RENEWALS

BETHEL, MAINE

GOULD'S ACADEMY

Miss Libbie Goodridge spent Saturday at West Bethel.

Carl Richardson, G. A. '23, of Gilsum has begun boarding at Holden Hall.

Several of the students attended the dance at West Bethel, Friday night.

Only one more week before final examinations for the fall term of school.

Miss Laura Cummings is doing practice teaching at West Bethel this week.

Many of the students from the dormitory spent the Thanksgiving recess at their respective homes.

The annual memorial service in honor of the late Morris Pratt were held Wednesday afternoon at the Academy building.

The weekly meeting of the Y. W. C. A. was held Tuesday afternoon at Holden Hall. The subject was, "Missionary Work." Alice Eames was leader.

Last Wednesday evening Gould's Academy opened its basketball season with a victory over the fast Andover Athletic Association team at Andover. The game was fast and exciting throughout. The score:

Floor Foul	Goals	Goals Points
G. A.	4	3
Becker, Jr.	2	0
Bryant, Jr.	1	0
Bartlett, Jr.	1	0
L. Van, Jr.	0	0
Band, Jr.	0	0
Totals	7	3

ANDOVER
Dunning, Jr., 1
I. Bodwell, Jr., 2
Averill, Jr., 1
French, Jr., 1
H. Bodwell, Jr., 0
Totals, 5
Referee, Larry. Time, 11. Poor.
Time of periods, 20 minutes.

The return game with Andover A. G. will be played at Gould's Academy gymnasium, Friday evening, Dec. 5. Tickets are now on sale.

BETHEL INN

Mrs. Chas. S. Cummings of Auburn, Me., had dinner at the Inn the 23th.

Dr. J. H. Wright, wife and daughter, had dinner at the Inn, Thanksgiving Day.

W. J. Mackay, clerk at Ceylon Row & Son's store, was also a dinner guest at the Inn, Thanksgiving.

Mr. Fred A. Tibbets, cashier of the Bethel National Bank, enjoyed his Thanksgiving dinner at Bethel Inn.

Mr. Wm. Fuller entertained at supper at Bethel Inn, Thanksgiving night. Miss A. P. McCord, Mrs. Gilbert Tuell, Miss Butler and Miss Spencer.

Mr. and Mrs. P. L. Edwards and daughter, Dorothy, entertained at dinner at the Inn, Thanksgiving Day, Mr. and Mrs. Thos. N. Taylor and Mrs. J. R. Phipps.

Thanksgiving evening a very pretty dinner party was given at the Inn by Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Blakeley who entertained Dr. and Mrs. J. G. Gehring, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Mount, Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Twichell, Miss Poole and Mr. C. L. Pollard.

Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Foster, Miss Foster and Mr. Joseph Adams entertained from Winchester, Mass., to Bethel on Thursday to spend the week end. This will probably be the last motor party of the season. The ladies left for Portland to make the trip back over the rough road from Portland the party expected to motor to Waterville without trouble.

Miss Thelma Tuell had a table set at the Inn for Thanksgiving dinner which was very attractively decorated. The entire piece being a pumpkin cut in the shape of a basket and filled with various kinds of fruit which was very effective. Those who sat down to dinner were Mrs. Gilbert Tuell, Judge and Mrs. A. E. Herrick, Mrs. Adelaide McCord, Mr. Wm. Foster, Miss Spencer and Miss Poole.

TAXPAYERS

Taxpayers for town of Bethel, 1919.

Collecting, F. D. HALL, Collector of Bethel.

THANKSGIVING NOTES

Miss Ida Packard was the guest of friends in Buckfield.

Mr. Herbert Rowe and family dined with Mr. Ceylon Rowe.

Miss Alice Lane of Yarmouth was the guest of Miss Lucy Fox.

Miss Mary Chapman was the guest of relatives in Berlin, N. H.

Miss Edith Soper dined with Mr. D. C. Philbrook and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Elliot Rich dined with Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Harrison.

Mr. W. R. Chapman was home from New York for Thanksgiving.

Mr. Thomas LaRue was the guest of relatives in Whitefield, N. H.

Miss Maria Robertson dined with Mrs. Angelina Clark and family.

Miss Angie Chapman was the guest of Mrs. Lydia Barker and family.

Miss Alice Willis was the guest of Mr. Herman Skillings and family.

Mr. H. H. Hastings and family were entertained at the Hastings homestead.

Mr. and Mrs. Jasper Cates were guests of Mr. Charles Capen and family.

Wm. F. Higgins of Berlin, N. H., was a Thanksgiving guest of Miss Bessie Wheeler.

Mr. and Mrs. Levi Bartlett dined with their daughter, Mrs. F. J. Tyler, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Bennett and little daughter were guests of his mother, Mrs. Belle Bennett.

Miss Heita V. Shaw of South Paris spent the day with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Shaw.

Mr. and Mrs. Merle Swan were guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Little, in Mason.

Mr. W. C. Stearns, Annette Stearns and E. W. Stearns were dinner guests at E. C. Park's.

Mr. C. F. Hisecock and mother, Mrs. M. Hisecock, of Farmington were guests of Mrs. Sweet.

Chester Wheeler and family of West Bethel spent the day with his brother, Lyman Wheeler, and family.

Mr. J. S. Hutchins and family entertained Miss L. M. Stearns and Mr. Howard Hutchins and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Allen and son were guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Allen, at West Bethel.

Mrs. Albert Heath and daughter, Barbara, were guests of Mrs. Heath's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Grover.

Mr. E. A. Merrill and children of Norway spent Thanksgiving with his brother, Mr. Zeas Merrill, and family.

Mrs. Flora Ellingwood of West Paris was the guest of her mother and brother, Mrs. Florina and Mr. N. E. Richardson.

Mr. and Mrs. William Lowe entertained Mr. and Mrs. Hiram Willes and son Currie and Miss Annie Schank of Norway.

CHURCH ACTIVITIES

METHODIST CHURCH
Rev. H. L. Nichols of Skowhegan preached in the Methodist church last Sunday morning and evening. A vote was taken in the Sunday school to have a Christmas concert, Sunday evening preceding Christmas, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Tyler being appointed a committee.

The Ladies' Aid will meet Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Alanson Tyler, Spring street.

UNIVERSALIST CHURCH
Morning service at 10:45. Sunday School at 12.

Evening meeting at 7 o'clock. Subject, "Present Conditions of the Church in Europe, France, England, Italy, Spain, Russia, Turkey, Germany." Ref. romance, Rom. 1, 1-17.

There will be a five cent social at the chapel, Saturday afternoon. This is for the public. Small Christmas trees, with good roots, will be on sale. Every one will surely want one of these.

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH
Sunday morning at 10:45 Professor Twitchell, late of the Young Men's Christian Association with the American forces in France, will speak at this church on the "Y" work as he saw it in action. Special music for the occasion. Everybody welcome. Sunday School at 12.

Christian Endeavor service in the evening at 7 o'clock. Topic, Truths That Jesus Taught.

The Ladies' Club will meet with Mrs. F. B. Tuell, Thursday afternoon at three o'clock.

Mid-week service Tuesday evening at 7:30 o'clock.

GRANGE NEWS

BETHEL GRANGE
Bethel Grange met for its last meeting, Monday evening, Dec. 1. The ladies served a Thanksgiving supper, consisting of chicken, mashed potato, white bread and butter, creamed beans, pudding, mince pie, pumpkin pie, apple pie and hot coffee. There were thirty-eight grangers and their families partook of the supper.

The Master called to order about 8 o'clock. Minutes of last meeting read and approved. The Grange voted to start a Grange store in Bethel, A. P. Copeland to be manager and Mrs. Anna Clark, the store to be in the Grange lower hall and to be open Saturday afternoon, and one hour each meeting night. It was voted to send the Master and his wife to State Grange which meets at Bangor the first of December.

The literary program was very short and as follows: A clipping read by Mrs. Mae B. Bartlett followed by a few other "A Thanksgiving Drama," "Months of the Year," closed in form. Next meeting, Dec. 11. Supper served as usual.

PLEASANT VALLEY GRANGE
Pleasant Valley Grange held its regular meeting Nov. 27 with thirty-six members and two visitors present. Officers pro tem: Assistant Steward, Kenneth McInnis; L. A. S., Ethel Bennett; Chaplain, Joan Skillings. Grange voted to send the Worthy Master, Asa Howard, and wife to the State Grange at Bangor. Literary program: Song and encore, Mary Grover, Nicholas and Johanna Mather.

Charles McInnis, Mildred McInnis, D. W. Cushing, Nicholas Mather, Wilbur Davis, Johanna Mather, Bertha Mather.

Roll call of officers responded to by giving place of birth and telling some interesting feature about it. The next meeting, Dec. 9, will be election of officers.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Valaifer and children of Poland and Miss Doris Thawson of South Paris were guests of Mr. Henry Austin and family.

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Bartlett entertained Mr. and Mrs. Dora Hall, and Mr. Harold Bartlett and friend Mr. Davis from New Hampshire State College.

Mr. and Mrs. H. N. Knapton and family entertained Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Kimball, Mr. and Mrs. Ceylon Kimball and son Melton of East Bethel and Mr. and Mrs. I. M. Kennerly.

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Kimball entertained Mr. and Mrs. John Howe and two children, Agnes and Redney, of

friend, Mr. Charles Forbes, of Bethel, who came to make Mr. Kimball's acquaintance.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Lord and daughter, Marion of Westbrook and Madelyn of Lisbon Falls.

Mr. Philip Chapman and family entertained Miss Vivian Jackson, Miss Mary Robertson and Mr. Charlie Parker of Skowhegan, N. H.

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Classes are held in Gorham on Mondays and Norway on Saturdays.

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SCHOOL MEDICAL INSPECTION

By Taliaferro Clark, Assistant Surgeon General, United States Public Health Service

Reprinted from Public Health Reports
With the time for the opening of the schools drawing near it is very desirable that communities, and especially the responsible officials, should take stock of resources for the health supervision of school children. Owing to inevitable adjustments that are now taking place in the national life as a result of the war, and especially in view of the changed economic conditions, the increased cost of the necessities of life, and the strong appeal of greater remuneration in other fields to those engaged in health activities, the importance of adequate health supervision of the children of the land is emphasized as never before in the history of our country.

The Advantage of Health Supervision of School Children

The health of the growing child determines largely the health and bodily vigor of the grown man. The community, therefore, can take no more important step to insure the future of its citizens than that of growing healthy children. In the present state of society an intelligent supervision of the health of the children during the period of school life is probably one of the most potent measures for this purpose and is recognized as such by law in an increasing number of the States of the Union. This is especially true since in but a very few fortunate communities is any attention whatsoever given to general health supervision of children during the impracticable preschool age covering the period from 2 to 5 years of age, inclusive.

Intensive studies of the physical conditions of children in many places have shown large numbers of them to have physical defects which were previously unrecognized and unsuspected. Many of the defects thus shown are preventable and remediable. Their persistence results not only in reduced individual efficiency, but also, in the aggregate, in reduced national efficiency, as is clearly shown by the high percentage of these found unfit for military service in the physical examinations conducted under the selective service law.

The conditions under which children assemble in school, and not the school

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Itself, are largely responsible for much of the sickness contracted during the period of school life and for the persistence of physical defects. The control of adverse causes during this period not only exercises an immediate beneficial effect on the health of the children, but serves most effectively to teach them the principles of personal hygiene, the nonobservance of which is now believed to be mainly responsible for the large annual increase in the number of deaths from degenerative diseases that occur later in life.

Experience shows that the failure to prevent and correct impairment of hearing and vision and to detect abnormalities of color perception, to secure dental attention, to alleviate postural defects, to place the normal child in an environment best suited for physical development, greatly restricts the range of industrial, business, and professional opportunity in adult life. Moreover, a number of defective children are unable to take full advantage of their educational opportunity. They fall behind in school work, become discouraged because unable to keep pace with normal children in their classes, and ultimately quit school poorly prepared for useful citizenship. It is of prime importance to the community, therefore, to take cognizance of these possibilities in order that steps may be taken to prevent them. Furthermore, the control of the communicable diseases in the community can be accomplished more effectively when undertaken in connection with the medical inspection of school children. Altogether, the loss of life, the impairment of hearing and vision, the tendency to degenerative diseases caused by neglect of personal hygiene, and the loss of time in school work render it highly desirable from the economic standpoint alone to inaugurate a measure so potential in the control of the communicable diseases.

A Desirable System of Health Supervision of School Children

An effective system of health supervision of school children should provide (1) for the thorough sanitation of all buildings used for school purposes; (2) for the intelligent supervision of classrooms to detect and correct conditions injurious to the health of the pupils as soon as they arise; (3) for the full-time services of medical inspectors qualified to discharge the sanitary and medical duties of the school physicians; (4) for the full-time services of school nurses; (5) for facilities for dental inspections; (6) provision whereby necessitous children may receive free treatment

suited to their needs; and (7) for a thorough mental examination of all children who fail to progress normally in school work. Objections have been made to health supervision of school children and the treatment of their physical defects on the ground that such measures discriminate against the regular practice of medicine, encourage pauperism in parents, raise the tax rate, and tend to bring about a lowered sense of responsibility on the part of parents in respect of the health of their children. The experience of countries and communities wherein these measures are in full force does not substantiate these claims. It has been found that the more regular attendance of children at school brought about by competent health supervision, and the educational effect on parents of such measures when applied to their children, reflect in time so advantageously on the community as to more than compensate for the expenditures involved in such supervision.

Scope of Medical Inspection

The demands of a reasonable medical inspection of school children are met by the following observations: (1) To examine for the presence of physical or mental defects which make it inadvisable for certain children to attend school; (2) to measure and weigh all children to determine the average physical development by sex and one-year age periods, and the utilization of such standards as an index of nutrition and as a guide to the discovery of harmful causes in the case of children who do not develop normally; (3) to discover, remove, and prevent defects of dentition, hearing, posture, and vision that hamper children in schoolwork and retard their physical and mental development; (4) to aid the health authorities in the control of communicable diseases.

Requirements of a School Medical Inspector

The minimum requirements of an acceptable school physician are: (1) That he should devote his full time to the supervision of the health of school children; (2) that he should be skilled in medical diagnosis, able to advise with and assist the family physician when it is so desired; (3) that he should have a knowledge of bacteriology sufficient to enable him to take cultures, detect "carriers," and otherwise assist the health authorities so that it may be unnecessary to close schools during epidemics of communicable diseases; (4) that he should be well grounded in the principles of personal and general hygiene and have the ability to apply them to school purposes; (5) that he should be competent to prescribe suitable exercises in individual cases to overcome postural defects, and advise with regard to regulated group exercises designed to promote the best physical development of normal children; (6) and that he should notify all parents of the presence of physical defects in their children as soon as these defects are discovered and make reasonable efforts to have his recommendations carried out.

In the selection of a school physician due regard should be given to his ability to direct the seating of children, to make observation of atmospheric conditions in classrooms, to measure illumination and to advise in regard to changes necessary to secure the maximum of illumination with the minimum of visual discomfort, and finally to advise janitors in respect of the heating and ventilation of school buildings.

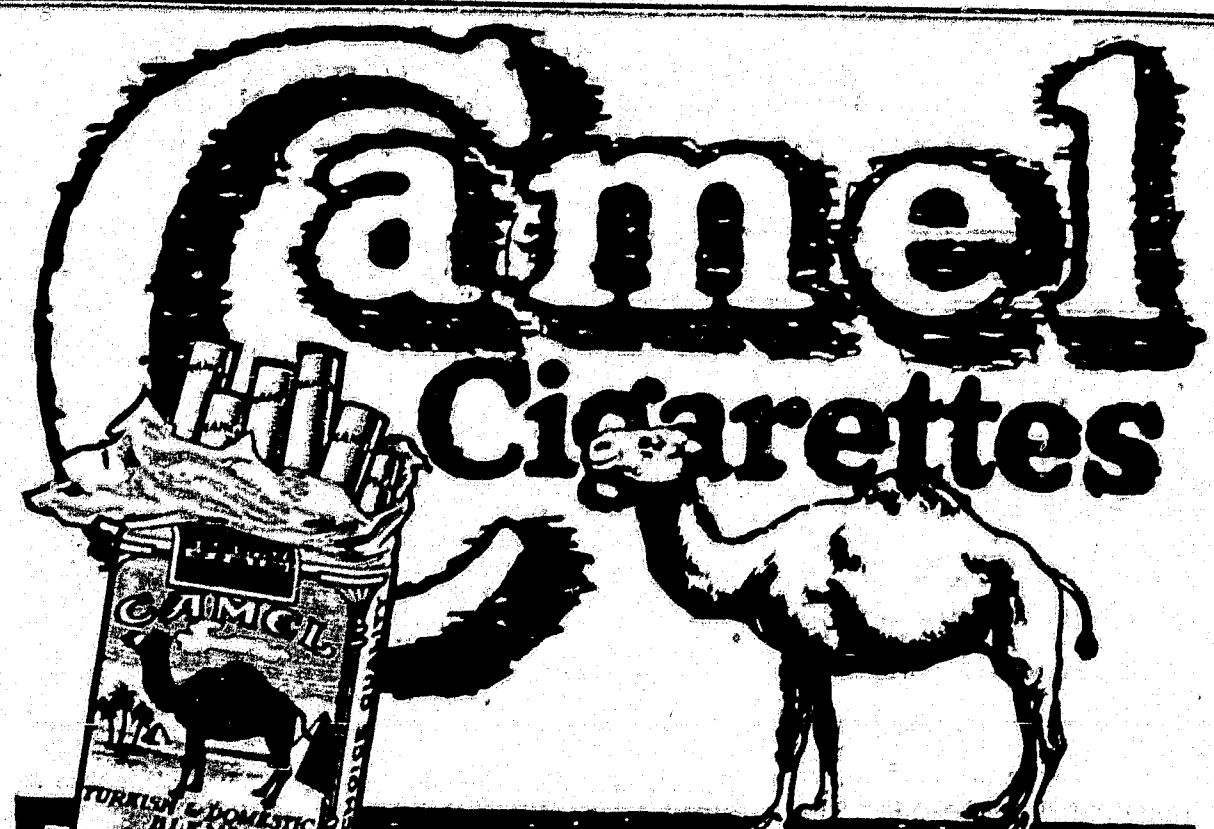
The employment of a physician engaged in private practice to devote a part of his time to the medical inspection of school children is not productive of good results. On the average it requires the full time of a specially qualified physician to supervise effectively the health of 2,000 school children. Furthermore, the employment of a practicing physician for this purpose is frequently the cause of jealousy and opposition on the part of other local practitioners that negate the efforts of the school physician.

One of the great drawbacks to the employment of a school physician heretofore has been the apparent unwillingness of the school and health authorities to recognize and clearly define their duty in respect of school health supervision. Fundamentally, the duty of the school organization is to impart instruction, and this should include instruction in health through courses in personal and general hygiene adapted to the needs of various age groups and by the organization of classes in physical training.

On the other hand the function of the health department is preventive and corrective, and as applied to school health supervision should include the medical examination of the children for the detection and removal of the hampering physical defects and for the control of communicable diseases, as well as supervision of the sanitation of the school buildings and playgrounds. In fact, the measure of the mental and physical efficiency of the children of a community will be largely proportional to the completeness of the cooperation of these two responsible agencies in this work.

Dental Attention
Dental defects constitute the most numerous of all defects found during medical inspection. The percentage of children in need of attention to the teeth is highest among those from 6 to 8 years of age, the percentage gradually decreasing to successive older age groups. It is now recognized quite generally by the medical and dental professions that defective teeth are responsible for serious disturbances of the general health. Especially is this true of "rheumatic" affections, heart disease, and gastric disturbances. No system of health supervision of children can be thoroughly effective, therefore, that does not secure correction of dental defects or fail to instruct parents in dental prophylaxis.

Duties of the School Nurse
The school nurse should be directly responsible to the school physician for the proper discharge of her duties. Her activities should supplement those of the school physician and coordinate with them. She should have sufficient training to carry out the routine treatment of minor ailments in emergencies and direct under supervision of the school



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The employment of a physician engaged in private practice to devote a part of his time to the medical inspection of school children is not productive of good results.

One of the great drawbacks to the employment of a school physician heretofore has been the apparent unwillingness of the school and health authorities to recognize and clearly define their duty in respect of school health supervision.

Fundamentally, the duty of the school organization is to impart instruction, and this should include instruction in health through courses in personal and general hygiene adapted to the needs of various age groups and by the organization of classes in physical training.

On the other hand the function of the health department is preventive and corrective, and as applied to school health supervision should include the medical examination of the children for the detection and removal of the hampering physical defects and for the control of communicable diseases, as well as supervision of the sanitation of the school buildings and playgrounds.

In fact, the measure of the mental and physical efficiency of the children of a community will be largely proportional to the completeness of the cooperation of these two responsible agencies in this work.

Dental Attention
Dental defects constitute the most numerous of all defects found during medical inspection. The percentage of children in need of attention to the teeth is highest among those from 6 to 8 years of age, the percentage gradually decreasing to successive older age groups.

Duties of the School Nurse
The school nurse should be directly responsible to the school physician for the proper discharge of her duties.

physician; she should be required to visit the parents of ailing children, when necessary, to instruct them in the care of the sick and in the prevention of disease; she should "follow up" children recommended for treatment by the school physician to induce parents to carry out his recommendations in case of their failure to do so; she should from time to time visit children who have been excluded from school for purposes of treatment, to insure their return without undue loss of time; she should be required to visit children absent from school for three successive days from unexplained causes, and in case of sickness make inquiry as to its nature in order to guard against communicable diseases; she should report the results of follow-up work to the school physician so that they may be properly recorded. The services of the school nurse may be advantageously used during the vacation period in infant welfare work, or in some other form of community health supervision.

Recording and Preservation of the Results of Medical Inspection
Every child should be subjected to a rigid medical examination as soon as possible after first entering school. The results of such examination should be card indexed and filed in such manner as to be instantly available for reference. Immediately following the examination, the parents should be notified, in writing, of the presence of physical conditions which require medical or surgical attention. Such notification should be supplemented by visits from the school nurse, and neglected parents should be advised of the necessity for such attention.

The form used for recording physical defects and other information regarding the school children should be arranged to suit the demands of local conditions. In general, such cards should show the name and address of the child, the name and address of parents or guardian, the exact date of birth, the sex and nationality of the child, the height and weight, the physical defects at the time of examination, and such other information as may be useful. The subject matter should be so arranged as to provide space for recording the results of re-examinations in succeeding years. Such cards should so indicate the treatment advised, the results of treatment, and the subsequent disposition of each particular case.

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It is now recognized quite generally by the medical and dental professions that defective teeth are responsible for serious disturbances of the general health. Especially is this true of "rheumatic" affections, heart disease, and gastric disturbances. No system of health supervision of children can be thoroughly effective, therefore, that does not secure correction of dental defects or fail to instruct parents in dental prophylaxis.

Duties of the School Nurse
The school nurse should be directly responsible to the school physician for the proper discharge of her duties. Her activities should supplement those of the school physician and coordinate with them. She should have sufficient training to carry out the routine treatment of minor ailments in emergencies and direct under supervision of the school

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Dental defects should be recorded on a card of the same size as the medical inspection card, and filed with it. Such cards may be conveniently arranged showing cuts of the temporary and permanent teeth, with spaces for recording the results of dental inspections and treatment.

In every case where the child is excluded from school on account of sickness or disability, the medical inspector should be required to notify, in writing, the parent or guardian, specifying the cause of such exclusion and stating explicitly the terms under which the child may return to school.

SUNDAY RIVER ROAD

Mrs. Ada Baker visited at Charles Eunice's two days last week.

James Reynolds and family have moved to Ketchikan.

Ray York and wife spent Tuesday with Bert Brown and family.

David Fleet and family visited at Fred Tyler's, Sunday.

Henry Jones and Harry Frost from Lewiston spent the week at Robert Dean's, hunting. Mr. Jones shot a nice deer.

Mrs. C. D. Dean is working at W. Thornton's.

Mr. Fisher and wife are staying at their place, the Bean farm.

Lewis Epiney's daughter, Mildred, who is attending school in Portland, has been very sick with diphtheria.

A number of people attended the Thanksgiving ball at Newry Corner.

How Big New York Grocery Firm Keeps Down Rate.

Vromeo & Co., Butter & Cheese Merchants, New York City, say: "We keep RATHNAP in our cellar all the time. It keeps down rate. We buy it by the gross, would not do without it."

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THE JOY OF MOTHERHOOD

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Ellensburg, Wash.—"After I married I was not well for a long and a good de of which I owe to Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound."—Mrs. O. Johnson, R. No. 2, Ellensburg, W.

There are women everywhere long for children in their homes yet denied this happiness on account some functional disorder which in cases would readily yield to Lydia Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. Such women should not give up b until they have given this wonder medicine a trial, and for special ad write Lydia E. Pinkham's Medi Lyan, Mass. The result of 22 experience is at your service.

THE HOME CIRCLE

Pleasant Beveries—A Column Dedicated to Tired Mothers as they Join the Home Circle at Evening Tide

HOUSEKEEPING AS A PROFESSION

Housekeeping is not easy work—it is not, in itself, esthetic nor soul-lifting nor inspiring. It means, very often, that when it is finished for the day, and the worker can look around on a sweet and orderly house, that she is too tired to take any real satisfaction in it. Sweeping and scrubbing and cooking and sewing do not make any part of the poetry of existence. But they are necessary—there lies the real kernel of the question.

On the practical side, the first thing to acquire is efficiency. The woman who studies the problems of her housekeeping, who cuts away from all superfluities that overtax her strength, and who learns how to do all the hard plain things in the quickest way without sacrificing thoroughness, will find that with this study there comes a new attitude of mind toward the work. Housekeeping regarded as a profession in which one may succeed is very much more interesting than housekeeping that is just getting through so much work per day. Study your work and it is easier. There are different ways to do everything, even washing, ironing, and some are infinitely easier than others. I know whereof I speak. Personally, I don't believe in reading poetry or looking at fine pictures while I am in my kitchen. If I am doing my work properly I haven't time to think of anything else. Few women can bake pies well while reciting Browning. Keeping the mind on the work in hand makes the work go better.

But after efficiency, we need the joy of service to sweeten our labor. After all, we are doing these things for those whom we love best in all the world.

This newly-filled lamp will shed its light tonight on the children studying their lessons for tomorrow's school; this pan of rolls shall be for supper because the man of the house enjoys them; these little stockings with holes at heel and toe belong to that restless chubby boy of yours who has just grown out of babyhood. You are glad that you can serve them in these commonplace, commonplace ways, making for their comfort. What is there "out in the world"—the place you think of so longingly—that would be equal to the love they have for you and the love you have for them?

So, when these thoughts of the sor didness of "the meaning and the bread" come to you, rest a little and do not try to think until you are rested. When you are yourself again you will see your work at its true value very worthily and nobly mean.

WHY DO WE DIE?

The great cause of death among human beings is disease, and this is a most important fact, because it offers such a great contrast to the animal world. With our intelligence and our laws and our habits of life, we have very nearly abolished death by starvation and by murder. Therefore, except for accident, we should die of old age were it not that for some reason or other, we are exceedingly liable to disease, which is quite a small and unimportant matter in the lives of practically all other creatures but ourselves.

We are now beginning to learn that we bring nearly all diseases upon ourselves, simply because we do unnatural things, which animals and plants do not do. We eat when we are not hungry.

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I improved in health so I could do my housework; we now have a little one, all of which I owe to Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. —Mrs. O. S. JOHNSON, R. No. 1, Ellensburg, Wash.

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greatest of the housewives' problems? Why, unexpected company gives me, or used to give me, a fit of nervousness!"

She was a practical looking woman, her face softened by a contented life among young folks. She was one of those fine women, typical of New England, and her thrift and good table had made her the leader of the younger set at the summer colony. "The girls" had fallen into the habit of stopping each morning on her big veranda, on their way to the school and household topics were subjects of discussion.

"You mean that unexpected company no longer disturbs you—with the poor marketing conditions here at the lake? How do you do it?" asked one of the young women.

"I'll tell it to you," she laughed. "National Biscuit Company. I'll give you acquainted with their products."

"I do not," she said. "I do not know of any other company that has so many products."

"On his suggestion," she said, "I purchased some Premium Soda Crackers."

and cheat our appetites with dainties and no wear out the organs that have to deal with food. Again, no animal ever touches alcohol.

We live in foul air, shut up from light and freshness, while our dogs and cattle, which need pure air and light no more than we do, live in the air and sunshine. We create and breathe smoke, we neglect our sleep and do a hundred other stupid things. The penalty for this is disease. Disease is almost a peculiarity of man. It is brought upon him by himself and can be abolished, when we learn a little of the wisdom which any animal, by its mode of conducting its life, is able to teach him, unless, indeed, it be a domestic animal, which has caught some of our own bad habits.—The Book of Knowledge.

BRYANT'S POND
Lloyd A. Hathaway of Bates College spent the Thanksgiving recess with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Hathaway.

Walter L. Bacon of Norway, Mr. and Mrs. H. Alton Bacon spent Thanksgiving Day at Ralph M. Bacon's.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Hathaway entertained their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Cuyler Jackson, and Lawrence Griffin the 27th.

Mrs. Betsy Wyman of Rumford is visiting at J. E. Hathaway's.

A nature club was formed here Nov. 25 with the following officers:

Pres. Mrs. Ada Swan
Vice Pres.—Mrs. Marion Hodgdon.
Sec. and Treas.—Mrs. Ralph M. Bacon.

Executive Committee: Mrs. H. Alton Bacon, chairman; Mrs. Edith Abbott, Mrs. Florence Cushman.

Bird study is the main object of the club.

LOOKE'S MILLS
Mr. and Mrs. Lester Tobbert entered Thanksgiving with their mother, Mrs. E. L. Tobbert, of Auburn, Thursday.

Will Bean and son, Herman, of Norway were in town, Saturday.

Mrs. Tens Woodman of Mechanic Falls was a dinner guest of her sister, Mrs. Chas. Stowell, Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford McAllister were Thanksgiving week with relatives at Albany.

Marian Swift was home from Lewiston, Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Tobbert visited Thursday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Hill, at Minto.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Hand and Ellen dined with Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Brewster, Lewiston, Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Fiske and family were guests of relatives at Waterville, Thursday.

Mrs. Leslie Diamond is quite ill at this writing.

Elmer Bartlett was in Portland the week end.

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"They were a sensation of the evening and have been my salvation. Unexpected company no longer worries me and I do not have to work in the kitchen every evening."

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I want to take a little time and some space in this paper, that I may discuss with the readers of this article or advertisement, the shoe situation as it now stands. We will admit that prices are high, much higher than they ought to be but we do not admit that they are out of proportion to the other necessities of life. I have recently paid \$6.00 for a barrel of apples and I am perfectly satisfied with the price and surely believe that they could not be sold for less at a profit. I pay 65 cents per pound for butter, 12 cents a bottle for milk and so on down the list, and the producers are not getting any more than they ought to have for their work. We have at the present time a store full of footwear of all kinds which we bought and are selling below the market price to-day. Our retail price on more than half our stock, is less than we can buy at wholesale. It has always been the purpose and policy of this store to give our customers full value for their money, and this policy has surely been the means of bringing to us a good business which has increased year after year. Our customers have been loyal to us and we surely appreciate it. Now as the holidays are approaching we will suggest that you buy useful gifts and we are sure that footwear of all kinds is always useful and acceptable. We are also positive that we can suit you in Style, Quality and Price.

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George Davee will be in charge and that fact is a guarantee that the work will be done right. We shall use the best of stock and our prices will be as low as good work can be done. We shall make a great effort to get the work out promptly. You will be informed when this Department is ready for business. Save your repairing for us.

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AGE STUDIO NOTES

time to sit for your Christmas photographs.

can you get that has a little in price.

ORWAY, MAINE

MASON

ence Grover and John West-
Massachusetts, who have
on a hunting trip, returned

Grover and children spent
with relatives in Sumner.
Grover, Selden and Letha
Minnie Wilson, all of Bethel
at S. O. Grover's, Saturday.
McKenzie has been saying
S. Westleigh with his gaze

Whitman and family, of
and Mr. and Mrs. Merle
Bethel spent Thanksgiving at

White says, "I don't like to
You Only See One Rat."
pretty soon I found my cat
they ate my potatoes. After
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BETHEL, MAINE

RUMFORD

Rev. Father James O'Brien has been
appointed to the pastorate of St.
Athanasius church. He comes from
Bar Harbor.

The first of a series of five dances of
the Old Folks Club was held in McMan-
n Hall last week, Dexter's orchestra
furnishing music for the occasion.

Two dances each month during the
winter will be held by the local Post
American Legion.

One of the weddings of the past week
was that of Thomas Johnson and Aman-
da LeBlanc, the ceremony being per-
formed by Rev. Father Cramillon.

The engagement of Miss Corn Potlie
of Portland to Stanwood Withington of
Beverly, Mass., has been announced to
Rumford friends. Mr. Withington is
the son of Mrs. Clara Withington, a
long time resident of Rumford, but now
having gone to Massachusetts to reside,
and a brother of Mrs. Austin T. Hyde,
who until about a year ago resided in
Rumford.

Alice May Douglas of Bath has es-
tablished "Bands of Mercy" in the
Rumford schools. The band has officers,
and each member has promised to be
kind to animals.

Mrs. John Constantine has entered the
McCarthy Hospital for treatment.
Garfield Redmond has left town for
California, where he will spend the win-
ter.

Mr. and Mrs. M. P. Abbott and son
are spending three months in Nevada,
Missouri, where they have gone for the
benefit of Mr. Abbott's health.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Blaboe have
closed their home on Lincoln avenue
and are occupying the George D. Blaboe
residence on Franklin street.

The marriage of Leo Whoolley and
Miss Dinora Bruchne took place last
week at St. Athanasius church, Rev.
Father Gorman performing the cere-
mony. The double ring service was
used. The attendants were the bride-
groom's father and brother. A recep-
tion followed the ceremony. The young
couple left on a two weeks' honeymoon
trip.

On December 10th and 11th Stephens
High school will stage a "Garden Cafe"
at the Majestic Theatre. This is a
sketch of singing and dancing, directed
by the Misses Ireland and Foley, and
Mr. Danforth. The principal characters
are taken by Willmont Schwind, Willie
Mareau, Hudson Brennick, Harold
Taylor, Edward LaCourse, Sylvio Gon-
za, Charles Smith, and the toastmaster,
Leo Bonnard. The chorus girls are Ed-
na LaCourse, Marjorie Hawley, Viola
McConaghy, Robertina Howe, Kath-
leen Morse, Juliet Nadeau, Gladys Aus-
tin, Gabrielle Lesieur, Justa Dolan, Jen-
nie Cohen, Evelyn Kimball, Dorcas
Pearbody, Gladys Young, Olivetta Bour-
goin. The Misses Margaret Sheehy,
Nellie Dennis, Ida Kimball, Yvette
Gonyea, Ada Reed, and the Messrs. Dan-
forth, Leon Shen, Morris Young, Rus-
sell Cornish, Alden McMenamin, An-
gus Hutchinson, and Edward Melanson
will also appear in the cast. The pro-
ceeds will go towards paying for the
telephones recently installed in Step-
hens High School.

Even West, who has been confined to
his bed, is now slowly improving.

A wedding of this week was that of
Alyce Gallant and Miss Mary McPherson.
Mr. Gallant is a mill employee,
and is president of Local No. 38 re-
cently organized in the Continental
Paper Paper Bag mill. Miss McPherson
was an employee of the Maine Central
Paper mill. Mr. Gallant was pro-
posed to by a beautiful brooch of sil-
verware from his brother associates in
the mills, also several other nice gifts
from the source.

Miss Minerva French, daughter of
Mr. and Mrs. Thomas French of Bath,
formerly of Rumford, has made herself
very popular at the University of
Maine where she is studying. She is
one of the five seniors in college hon-
ors, and therefore will receive the cov-
eted honor of election to the Phi Kappa
Chi. She is president of the Y. W. C.

Cold relief

A common cause of many colds is the
sudden checking of the unconscious
perspiration by exposure to a change of
temperature. Colds whether taking the
form of Coryza with sneezing, running
nose, and perhaps sore throat, or with
chills and feverish symptoms, should
never be neglected in the earliest stages.
Serious illness often results from such
neglect.

It is well to get early to bed, to get
the body well warmed, and most im-
portant to have the bowels move freely.
There is no safer or better remedy to use
at the beginning of a cold than "A. F."

Alexander's Medicine. Two
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Mrs. Julia Coburn, Mechanic St.,
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blurred and at times I was dizzy.
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Mrs. Coburn had, Foster-Milburn Co.,
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A. alumni editor of "The Campus"
—the college weekly, a member of the
student council, a member of the girls'
glee club, plays the piano in the college
orchestra and takes leading parts in the
college dramas. She has been an in-
structor in the study of physics. Miss
French is a graduate of the Rumford
High School.

The marriage of Miss Florence Em-
ma Posa and Cyril S. Springer took
place recently in Portland. The bride
is a daughter of Mrs. Carrie E. Posa,
who formerly lived in Portland.

The wedding of Miss Jennie Poor,
daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Eben A. Poor
of this town, and Mr. Aubrey E. Baker
took place recently in Norwich, Conn.
Mr. Baker is a native of South Dover,
Maine, and is a son of Mr. and Mrs.
Edward Baker. He is now employed as
an attendant at the Norwich State Hos-
pital, where Miss Poor has been em-
ployed as a nurse. The young couple
will reside in Norwich.

The marriage of Orland Blidau and
Louise Drapeau took place last week at
St. Jean de Baptiste church. The at-
tendants were Joseph Drapeau and Da-
mas Fortier.

At a recent meeting of twenty-five of
the young men of Rumford the Rum-
ford Athletic and Social Club was or-
ganized. The headquarters will be at
McMenamin Hall, where all kinds of
athletic paraphernalia will be placed.
The cost of joining the club will be
one dollar for initiation fee, and one
dollar a month. It is intended that af-
ter the club gets into a prosperous con-
dition to build a modern club house,
where a swimming pool will be one of
the principal features.

A recent wedding at the Methodist
parsonage was that of Francis E. Tib-
betts and Miss Irene Tracy, both of
Rumford, Rev. R. F. Lowe performing
the ceremony. The bride wore a suit of
tulle with hat, gloves and spurs to
match. Miss Tibbetts was a former
employee of the local paper, while Mr.
Tibbetts is employed at the power sta-
tion.

Mrs. Harry H. Coke and little son of
Pine street will soon leave for Michi-
gan, where they will visit relatives for
four weeks. It is expected that Mr.
Coke will join them at Christmas, and
return with them soon after the holi-
days.

The marriage of Miss Marie Pierrett
Thomas, oldest daughter of Mr. and
Mrs. J. D. Thomas of the Virginia Dis-
trict, and Chester Douglas Hardy, only
son of Mr. and Mrs. William W. Har-
dy, also of the Virginia District, took
place on Saturday last at the home of
the bride on Free street, Rev. George
Hunt of St. Barnabas Episcopal church
officiating. The double ring service was
used, the ceremony being witnessed by
only the members of the two families.
The bride wore a brown travelling suit,
with hat to harmonize. She was attend-
ed by Miss Nellie Dennis who wore
blue velvet. The groom was attended
by Romeo Turgeon of Berlin, N. H.

After the ceremony a wedding break-
fast was served. The bridal couple left
amid a shower of confetti on the after-
noon train for Boston, where they will
spend several weeks, and upon their re-
turn will reside at the Thomas home on
Free street, until the return of the
bride's parents from an extended Cali-
fornian trip. Mrs. Hardy, since her
graduation from the Rumford High
School in 1917, has been employed at

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the Rumford National Bank, where she
will return for a time. Mr. Hardy was
a member of Company B of the YD
and was in service overseas for 18
months. He is associated with his
father in the painting business.

The marriage of Miss Margaret Dona-
hue of this town and Herman Ellen-
brook of Mexico was solemnized recently
at the Mexico Baptist parsonage, by
Rev. Clarence Emery. Mr. and Mrs.
Ellenbrook will reside on Middle ave-
nue in Mexico.

Dr. E. M. McCarty in company with
D. E. Hayes, went to Welch's siding
on Thursday of last week, coming out
on Monday of this week, reporting a
splendid outing, and bringing deer with
them. One fine buck was wounded on
Saturday. The State Game Commis-
sioner was telephoned to for permission
to go after him on Sunday. Permis-
sion was granted, but the buck did not
agree to the arrangements, and eluded
the hunters.

Among the successful hunters return-
ing from the woods is Ben Swett, Ives
Toothaker, and Bert Davis, who have
been in Aroostook County, near Gris-
wold Station. They arrived home on
Saturday last, with one moose, and the
limit of deer to each man.

Major David E. Hayes received this
week a box of war relics shipped from
the war zone in France last April.
These relics are on exhibition in the
window of the Rumford Drug Company.
They are of much interest, as some of
the huge shell cases are very much be-
yond anything in this line before shown.

In a letter to Rumford friends, word
was received that Mr. and Mrs. George
Pettengill of this town, who are at
their winter home in St. Petersburg,
Florida, went to Atlanta, Georgia, for
Thanksgiving with Mr. and Mrs. Rich-
ard C. Darby of that city. Mrs. Darby
was before her marriage Miss Florence
McKeenan of Rumford.

Anyone in need of jamnel ginger may
apply to Deputy Sheriff Niles as a re-
cent seizure yielded 697 three ounce
bottles of the stuff packed in five box-
es. What a lot of bad colds could be
broken up by this consignment!

Most people have two kinds of rela-
tives; the ones they don't like to have
around and the ones who don't like to
have them around.

A decayed tooth is far more danger-
ous to the health than a fly in the soup,
says the United States Public Health
Service. Visit the dentist regularly.
Keep the teeth clean.

BRAGG SAYS:

"Another store opening up in town?
"Let 'em open. It will take more than that to close us.
"Guess when you come to think of it, the only thing that
would put us out of business would be our own foolishness.
"Trying to sell good stuff below cost or giving unlimited
credit to everybody help the sheriff and the auctioneer make
a living.
"And when it comes to profiteering on 'Just-as-goods' you
have a dead-sure trade-loser.
"I tell you, as long as we can get the right stuff to sell we
are going to be in business at the old stand.
"You don't see the manufacturers of Standard Brands going
out of business, do you? Yet they do not all sell the cut-
price stores.
"Take Grand Union Goods, for instance. You don't find
that with the cutters.
"Yet such stores increase right along and the sale for
Grand Union increases right along.
"What's the answer?
"Simple enough: The dealers that handle quality goods
like Grand Union are not put out of business by cut-price
store competition.
"Isn't the other fellow who puts you out of business any-
way—it's you.
"There are always plenty of people who want the best.
"Let's give it to them—the best of quality—the best of
service—and personal attention—and human clerks.
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ANDOVER

Samuel Poor and wife spent Thank-
sgiving Day with their children at the
Homestead. Mr. Poor's father, William
Poor, was also a guest at the Homestead.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Perry came
from Cambridge, Mass., to spend
Thanksgiving with their father, Wm.
Milton.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Akers enter-
tained on that day Marshall Howard
and family and Guy Akers and family
of Weston, Mass.

Freeman Bedell, who spent Thank-
sgiving at Y. A. Thurston's home, re-
turned to his home in Allston, Mass.,
Monday.

Mrs. Joel Morton, who has been
critically ill, is much improved.

Trene Abbott, who is attending the
Gorham Normal School, spent the
Thanksgiving recess with her parents,
Holton Abbott and wife, at So. Andover.

Mrs. Etta Swett of Rumford has been
visiting her son, Chester Swett,
and family this week.

Supt. of School, Howard, was in town
Tuesday and Wednesday of last week.

Samuel Poor has purchased the Wil-
liam Gregg farm and will spend his
summers there with his family. They
returned to their home in Akron, Ohio,
this week.

Lester Thurston was home Thank-
sgiving from Orono.

Arthur Bedell, who suffered a para-
lytic shock in Boston in August, is
spending a few weeks with his sister,
Mrs. Y. A. Thurston.

Wm. Poor returned Wednesday to his
home in Narbeth, Pa.

E. W. Abbott has teams hauling birch
to the apool mill.

Mrs. Abbie Poor, who has spent the
summer in Andover, returned to Nor-
chester, Mass., last week.

The schools were not in session Fri-
day.

Thomas French and wife, who have
been visiting John French and family,
returned last week to their home in
Woolwich, Me.

Mrs. Guy Morton and children from
Concord, N. H., have been visiting her
parents, J. A. Dunning and wife.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Marston are vi-
siting his parents, S. W. Marston and
wife.

Mrs. I. E. Mills, who has been very
sick, is much improved.

Cedrie, the young son of Mr. and
Mrs. Samuel Marston, broke his arm
while coasting, Saturday.

Saturday evening a miscellaneous
showing was given Miss Matilda Hall
at the town hall in honor of her ap-
proaching marriage to Norris Coulling.
The show was given by Miss Hall's
friends of Andover, the affair being
planned by Mrs. Arthur Clark and Mrs.
Harry Thomas. The guests brought
with them a supply of eatables to which
all did justice. The wedding will take
place Dec. 17 at Washington, D. C.

MIDDLE INTERVALE ROAD
J. F. Coolidge has been on the sick
list for a week past, but is very much
better at this writing. He was kindly
remembered Thanksgiving by his near-
by neighbors and some from Middle In-
tervale, with refreshments for the day's
enjoyment.

Mr. and Mrs. Jasper Cates and Mrs.
Mary J. Capen and Mrs. Ned Carter and
children spent Thanksgiving at C. A.
Capen's.

Mrs. Walter Balentine was called to
North Paris last week by the death of
her father.

WEST PERU AND DICKVALE
Rev. Mr. Oliver of Massachusetts has
been a guest of G. B. Gordon and family
the past week.

David Chenery and Alton Lovejoy
shot a wild animal on Speckled Mt.
last Friday supposed to be a Canadian
lynx.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Rafuse and Mrs.
Charles Chase were visiting in Rumford
last Sunday, going by automobile.

Mrs. E. W. Sturtevant and Mrs. Ad-
dle Lovejoy enjoyed a sleigh ride to
the village, Saturday, and attended the
Grange meeting.

Cultivate the habit of walking with
head up and the shoulders thrown back.
It is cheaper and better than bottled
tonics, says the United States Public
Health Service.

STATE OF MAINE
County of Oxford SS

Supreme Judicial Court
February Term, 1920
Apollonia Wellakene, Libellant

vs.
Stanislaus Wellakene, Libellee

The HONORABLE JUSTICES of
our Supreme Judicial Court, next to be
held at Paris within and for the
County of Oxford, and State of Maine,
on the second Tuesday of February, A.
D. 1920.

Apollonia Wellakene of Rumford in
the County of Oxford and State of
Maine complains and libels against
Stanislaus Wellakene formerly of said
Rumford and now of parts unknown,
and gives this Honorable Court to be
informed:

That her maiden name was Apollonia
Singety and that she was married to
the said Stanislaus Wellakene on the
28th day of May A. D. 1908 at Gilbert-
ville, Massachusetts, by Rev. W. A.
Hickey, the priest of the Catholic
Church in said Gilbertville, Massachu-
setts, duly qualified and authorized to
solemnize marriages within the Com-
monwealth of Massachusetts.

That since their said intermarriage
your libellant and her husband afore-
said have cohabited as man and wife at
Rumford in said State of Maine from
July 1st, 1912, to September 4th, 1919,
when the said Stanislaus Wellakene ut-
terly deserted your libellant which ut-
ter desertion has continued from that
date to the day of the making of this
libel.

That one child has been born of their
intermarriage, namely Mary Wellakene
aged six years.

That your libellant has been a true,
chaste and affectionate wife, but that
on the other hand said Stanislaus Wel-
lakene has not been a faithful and af-
fectionate husband, but has been un-
true to his marriage vows and has been
guilty of gross and confirmed habits of
intoxication from the use of intoxicat-
ing liquors.

That your libellant has made dili-
gent search and inquiry but has been
unable to ascertain the present resi-
dence of her said husband.

WHEREFORE your libellant prays
this Honorable Court that a decree of
divorce from the Bonds of Matrimony
with her husband aforesaid may be
granted to her and that the custody of
the minor child be decreed to your li-
bellant and that the libellee may be or-
dered and decreed to pay to said li-
bellant, such sum of money as may be to
the Court seem right and proper towards
the support of your libellant and her
minor child.

Dated at Rumford in the County of
Oxford and State of Maine this thir-
teenth day of October A. D. 1919.

Apollonia Wellakene

STATE OF MAINE
County of Oxford SS

Personally appeared the above named
Apollonia Wellakene and made oath to
the above libel by her signed and that
the same is true.

Before me,
ARETAS E. STRAUB,
Justice of the Peace.

STATE OF MAINE
County of Oxford SS

Supreme Judicial Court, in Vacation
November 12th, A. D. 1919.

Upon the foregoing libel, ORDERED
ED: That the libellant give notice to
the said Stanislaus Wellakene to appear
before the Justice of our Supreme Ju-
dicial Court to be holden at Paris, with-
in and for the County of Oxford, on
the second Tuesday of February, A. D.
1920, to publish an attested copy of
said libel, and this order thereon, three
weeks successively in the Oxford Coun-
ty Citizen, a newspaper printed in
Bethel, in said County of Oxford, the
last publication to be 30 days at least
prior to said second Tuesday of Febru-
ary, 1920, that he may then and there
in our said Court appear and show
cause, if any he have, why the prayer
of said libellant should not be granted.

ORO. M. HANSON,
Justice of the Supreme Judicial Court
A true copy of the libel and order of
court thereon.

Attest:
DONALD R. PARTRIDGE, Clerk.

11-29-20

NOTICE

The subscriber hereby gives notice
that he has been duly appointed ad-
ministrators of the estate of Mary C.
Larson late of Bethel in the County
of Oxford, deceased, and given bonds as
the law directs. All persons having
demands against the estate of said de-
ceased are desired to present the same
for settlement, and all indebted there-
to are requested to make payment immedi-
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ELLENY G. PARK,
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PROBATE NOTICES

To all persons interested in either of
the Estates hereinafter named:

At a Probate Court, held at Paris
in and for the County of Oxford, on the
third Tuesday of November, in the year
of our Lord one thousand nine hundred
and nineteen. The following matters
having been presented for the action
thereupon here

POEMS WORTH READING

A MOTHER'S MORNING
By Jennie K. Palmer
Today I planned important work
And from high duty not to shrink;
So getting up at five a. m.,
I cooked the meal of cereal and ham,
Gravy, coffee, bread and butter,
Marrying meanwhile all a flutter.

Breakfast over, the lunches for school
Were seen prepared by careful rule;
Two hard-boiled eggs with salt and pepper,
Good home-made bread spread thick
with butter,
Some pumpkin pie and a nice, fresh
pear,
Make up a lunch that is quite fair.

Then hubby is sent away to his task
With a smile, a kiss and a firm hand-clasp;
Then I get out the car and four girls
I take
To the school in town, great scholars
to make
Some shopping I do, then hurry home
To find a few who for milk had come.

Next I eat for a moment with a tongue
pie,
A snack on the porch called me up on
time
Then I found a woman to help
Who wanted to buy more here today.
I chose I could for the place come,
So I had to play at another game.

I ordered food for my family and two,
Then sat down to write to one of my
friends,
The clock strikes eleven, 'tis time to
rest;
For while dinner cooks I must make
clean pots.
The morning has dawned, high place gone
astray,
With a heavy number this is the day.

We have high hopes and busy dreams,
But we feel are under of day, it seems.
We cannot do all the tasks we would;
God grants us to choose not only the
good!

If busy and happy in this sweet way,
It will all come right some glad, bright
day.

**GRANDMOTHER'S CRANBERRY
PIE**
I have sampled all manner of dishes
In the old world as well as the New,
From goulash to Italian pudding,
From pilaf to plain Irish stew,
But the jewel of party perfection,
Enchanting the palate and eye,
Appears in gastronomic glory,
Was grandmother's cranberry pie.

How well I remember the kitchen,
The sunny and gossamer of dawn,
And the table where grandmother dined
By
Belle and the delightful crew
And all in it to sit when she spoke
crossed
Lullaby lullaby to her
Over the ebb of the sea,
O, what a creature girl!

Sweet with the memories of home
And also delightfully faint,
One who of the warm spicy fragrance
Which was her grandmother's heart
The shadows and crests of the autumn,
The red of the bright evening sky,
Were gathered and pressed in the oven
In grandmother's cranberry pie.

Cranberry pie's delicious
Newly turned out of the mold,
Shaped like a pear or a melon,
Cyprian, cinnamon, and cell,
Cranberry tart a confection
I never could bear to pass by.
Now the gem of all cranberry dishes
Was grandmother's cranberry pie.

Grandmother spent went walking
In dressers way to her knees,
Her feet trotted, leaped, or skirted,
Her dandled at afternoon tea.
Her Sunday best gown was always
In jeopardy as well as July,
But nobody ever could beat her
At making a cranberry pie.

SUNNY CORNERS
Toss of sunny corners if you only look
around,
Toss of sunny corners that are always
to be found
When the heart with sun is shining
and the face of sunny things,
And the spirit of the sunshine in the
eyes of sunny things,
Toss of sunny corners,
And they make the world so sweet
When we sit on the grass with a book
For the sake of sunny days.

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take for emergencies.
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make them so
With the gladness you cherish and the
beauty that you know.
With the blossoms you have gathered
from the garden of your life
Scatter to scatter in these gardens that
are deep with weeds of strife.
If you only look around
Through the love that leads us onward
Where the sunshine may be found.

BEYOND US STILL
Beyond us still, perhaps, they lie,
The softer things of earth and sky.
The dreams unknown, the heights un-
climbed,
The songs unsung, the hymns un-
chimed,
The little paths that lead away
Across the foam and fringe of May.
The woodland nooks, the sequestered fields,
The loveliness that springtime yields—
Beyond us still the glow and light
above,
The song, the beauty and the mystic
love.

For we who lift against the storm our
restless hearts and our countless
shields!
Beyond us still, no doubt, it dwells,
That heaven of peace and beauty still,
That Eden of Aprilian spells
That have sought through good and
ill.

Have struggled for, have trusted on
Amid the shadows and the dawn,
Have failed to win and failing yet
Mid all the strife could not forget
The spring that came to all true men
Cade forth the cry, "O, O, ere I die,
To see the spring come back again,
With all its vibrant summer decked and
all its warm breath of sky!"

ALBANY
Arthur Andrews and family and Mrs.
Nesmer Grover and son, Mahlon, and
grandson Rodney Grover of North Wat-
erford, also Wm. Grover and Woodson
Berliner were entertained at Abel An-
drews', Thanksgiving.

Mr. and Mrs. John Jones spent
Thanksgiving with Mr. Kennah and
family of Greenwood.
Dana Merrill of West Bethel brought
a nice cow of Arthur Andrews.
The Circle will be held at the vestry,
Friday evening.

Dexter Cummings is visiting friends
in Norway.
J. A. Andrews of North Waterford
visited his wife, Abel Andrews, Mon-
day.

Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Dean went to
Oxford, Wednesday, to spend Thank-
sgiving with their son, P. E. Dean, and
family. They returned home Friday.
P. E. Dean and Ames L. Dean of An-
drews spent Saturday hunting, but the
day proved to be very wild.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Andrews enter-
tained Thanksgiving day, her parents,
Mr. and Mrs. Isaiah Hamlet, also Mr.
and Mrs. Albert Hamlet and chil-
dren and Edwin Merrill.

Mr. and Mrs. John Richards and Mrs.
Anna and Dexter Cummings and their
children came to dinner at George Cum-
mings', Thanksgiving day. Herman
Cummings, who has been employed at Nor-
ton, spent the day in town.

SOUTH PARIS

Michael T. Kerwin died suddenly last
Wednesday afternoon at 6.30 at Sher-
man C. Ordway's where he was board-
ing. He had had several heart attacks
recently. Mr. Kerwin was 64 years of
age and was born in Portland. He
married Miss Emma Bled of North
Norway who died about 12 years ago.
He is survived by one son, John Ker-
win, of Newton, Mass., two daughters,
Miss Dora Kerwin, teacher in Honolulu,
and Mrs. Francis Lundstrom of Boston.

About 100 couples attended the
Thanksgiving concert and ball at the
Orange Hall, Thursday night. Shaw's
orchestra furnished music. Miss Emma
West rendered some fine solos. A. D.
Park was floor manager. Refreshments
were served at intermission.

Announcements have been received of
the marriage in Santa Ana, Calif., of
Halph Barrons Eason, formerly of So-
Paris, and Miss Madeline Marie Kam-
meyer of Los Angeles. Mr. Eason is
the son of Mrs. Ida Titcomb of South
Paris. He was graduated from Paris
High school in 1916, University of
Maine in 1918, and he has taught exten-
sion work at Purdue University, Laf-
ayette, Ind., the past two years. He
has been in the service, stationed at
Camp Kearney, California, where he
was promoted to Lieutenant. He is now
professor of Agriculture at the Califor-
nia State College at Berkeley. Mrs.
Eason is the daughter of Dr. and Mrs.
J. E. Kammeyer of Kansas, who are
stopping in California for this winter.
She has also been employed in exten-
sion work at Camp Kearney the past
year. They will reside for the present
at San Francisco.

About 300 was received at the
Thanksgiving concert, Sunday night.
Mr. and Mrs. John Kerwin of New-
ton, Mass., were here to attend the fun-
eral of Michael Kerwin.

A union meeting was held at Con-
gregational church, Thursday, with a
large audience. Sermon by Rev. Chester
Gore Miller of the Universalist church.

Ralph Perkins and wife spent Thank-
sgiving at Bethel.
J. H. Jones, who travels for the Gar-
den of Allah Coffee Co., of Boston, was
at home over Thanksgiving.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Cole entertained
Mr. and Mrs. Allison Andrews and chil-
dren.
Harvey Pitts and Miss Dorothy Pitts
of Harrison were guests at William Al-
bert's, Thanksgiving.

Mr. and Mrs. Hiram Dunham were
guests at Carl Dunham's, Thank-
sgiving.
Mr. and Mrs. Sherman T. Oliver and
family and Irving Barrows and wife
were entertained Thanksgiving at Os-
car E. Barrows'.

Mrs. Herman Wilson has a trained
nurse caring for her.
Mr. and Mrs. George Fernald were
guests at Allen Maxam's over Thank-
sgiving. Mr. Fernald is State Inspector
of Banks and they live at Anguilla.

Mrs. Vernon Keene, Lewistown, visited
at C. W. Bowker's, Thanksgiving, play-
ing saxophone with Shaw's orchestra
at the hall in the evening.
Mrs. Cora Briggs was called to St.
Bartholomew Hospital, Wednesday, by the
serious illness of her sister, Mrs. Ka-
tie Linder.

Miss Betty Silver and Frank McGlin-
ley from Bates College were home over
Thanksgiving.
Harlan Dennison from Bowdoin, Mr.
and Mrs. Wirt Stanley and daughter
Ethelyn spent Thanksgiving in Lew-
iston.

Mr. and Mrs. Omar Morrow spent
Thanksgiving with Mrs. Morrow's
brother, E. N. Haskell, and family.
Mrs. Ralph Butts entertained about
twelve of her friends at a coffee,
Thanksgiving morning from 8.30 to
9.30.

Mr. Minot Whittle entertained L.
E. Hall and wife, Mrs. Justina Hall
and daughter, Carrie, at Thanksgiving.
Mrs. Abby Jones has gone to Wood-
ford for the winter with her daughter,
Mrs. Wilfred Walker.

Mrs. E. N. Anderson has gone to Wel-
lston to visit her son, Harold Ander-
son, and family.
Mr. and Mrs. A. French Stevens and
son, Gilbert, took dinner at J. E.
Merrill's, Thanksgiving.
N. D. Bolster entertained Mr. and
Mrs. Donald Chapman and daughter,
Ruthie and Miriam, Thanksgiving.

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ANDOVER
Deferred
David Alonzo Marston, a life-long
resident of Andover, passed away Mon-
day, Nov. 17, aged 75. He had been
in poor health for the past two years.
He was a man of sterling character and
will be much missed. He leaves a broth-
er, B. W. Marston, with whom he lived,
and several nephews and nieces. The
funeral took place at the home Wednes-
day afternoon, Nov. 20, at 2 p. m. Burial
was in Woodlawn cemetery.

Mrs. P. E. Leslie returned to Mass.
chambers, Friday, where she will join
Dr. Leslie at Roxbury.
Mrs. Bert Hutchins is very ill at Mc-
Carty's Hospital, Hingham.
John Hovey returned from Aztec
Lake, Sunday, where he has operated a
motor boat the past season.

Supr. of Records, John J. Howard, of
Mexico was in town, Tuesday and Wed-
nesday.
Mrs. Ada Merrill was quite ill last
week.
The Ring's Daughters met with Mrs.
C. A. Hand last Thursday p. m.
Cabel Lodge, K. of P., conferred the
rank of Knight on a candidate Friday
evening. Refreshments were served.
Harry Hutchins and party from Rum-
ford came from a week's hunting trip
at O Pond, Saturday with a nice deer.
The Ancient and Honorable White
met Saturday evening with twenty
members present. Mr. and Mrs. Clay
Sweet were the two first prizes, and
Mrs. Charles Bartlett and Y. A. Thur-
ston the second. Refreshments of sand-
wiches, cake, doughnuts and coffee were
served. Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bartlett
and Clayton Sweet and wife were the
entertaining committee.

P. J. Spanlow, representing the Amer-
ican Historical Society of New York,
was in town last week.
Doris Ripley was in Rumford, Satur-
day.
B. L. Akers has gone to Canton to vis-
it Walter Marston and wife.
Mrs. Grace Moody, who had been car-
ing for her uncle, Alonzo Marston, re-
turned Saturday to her home in Rum-
ford.

Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Marston were
in Rumford, Saturday.
Mrs. J. E. Mills has been quite ill.
The young people held a what party
and dance in the town hall, Thursday
evening, Nov. 29. There were seventy-
five members present and a most enjoy-
able evening was passed. The first
prizes were won by Mrs. Arthur Lang
and Homer Richards, the second by
Mattie Hall and Wilbur Roberts. Re-
freshments of ice cream, saltines and
fancy cookies were served.

Cards have been received announcing
the engagement of Miss Alice Howard
Andrews and Mr. Walter Everett Mer-
rill.
Mrs. Fred Hill, who has been the
guest of Mrs. Sidney Abbott, returned
this week to her home in Hingham,
Mass.

Ladies' Zephyr Sweaters
Fine Shetland Sweaters
Ladies' pure silk
Quilted Vests made
Middy Blouses in e

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Christ

The Standard Gifts for
had too many Hands
this season. 1st floor.

Children's Printed Handker-
colored, 10c or 3 for 25c
Children's Boxed Handker-
Boxes of 3 for 39c and
Ladies' Linen Handkerchiefs
embroidered, 3 for 1.00
Ladies' Linen Initial Hand-
fine and sheer, 50c ea.
Initial Handkerchiefs, 15c

Chr

Few gifts please more
they are in full holiday
Ladies' "Phoenix" Silk
the queen of all Silks
white, black and colors
Silk Stockings, full fashion
and colors, 3.00 to 4.25
Novelty Silk Stockings, mi-
ty styles, 1.50 to 4.50 pair
Embroidered cloths Silk Ho-
line, 2.50 to 4.50 pair

Chr

Never saw a lady yet who
some pair of Gloves. Mo-
Kid or finest grade Mocha
French Kid Gloves in bla-
colors—3.00 to 4.50 pair
One Clasp Mocha Gloves
Ladies' Wash Cape Gloves
3.00 and 4.00 pair.
One gray French Guano
crape, beaver, brown, at 1.
Duplex Gauntlets, 2.00 and

Gift 1

Our Men's Furnishings Di-
for men and boys. The
sortment of the things me-
Men's Night Shirts, 1.19
Men's Pajamas, 1.25
Men's Outing Night Shirts,
Men's Outing Pajamas,
Men's Flannel Night Shirts,
Men's Flannel Pajamas,
Men's Silk Hose, 90c
Men's fancy Silk Hose, 1.

Chr

In anticipation of the big
splendid large line of Big
dren. The assortment is
Women's Felt Slippers, even
soles, all the dainty colors
sliding laces and extra, 1.
Women's Felt Slippers, leather
and heels, all colors, at 1.75
Indian Moccasins for men
women, also in children's at
prices according to size and
1.50 to 4.50 pair.

Christmas

From our Chi-
Long and Short White Dress-
from 1.50 to 7.50 each.
Skirts and Princess Skirts, 1.
3.00
Flannel Skirts and Unders-
from 1.00 to 3.50.
Worsted Booties, Soft Sole
and Moccasins, 50c to 2.50.
Worsted and Cashmere Jack-
from 1.00 to 5.00.
Worsted Sweaters, Toggles,
and Mittens, 50c to 70c.
Caps in silk, worsteds and an-
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A ladder on an iron pipe used work. Philip M. Smith, an as- brought him as he fell, but was to prevent the accident. One was badly injured and an operation removal may be necessary. Mr. spent several months with Co. Division in the trenches under, and escaped bodily injury. "luck" has been his experience. feared not long ago. committee for the Christmas ex- the Universalist church were d Sunday, and include Mrs. and Miss Ruth Cummings by the members of Miss Cum- class. Mrs. Bicknell's class of attended to procuring the tree. Mrs. Nash Hill was the soloist afternoon services at the church. Mrs. A. Stephens, Norway sold the old homestead on ning lot to his residence to y Russell, who will raise the work having commenced at and in the spring Mr. Rus- building in the village. Herick has bought the Good se on Winter street, formerly Bridge Crocker house. Ladies' Sewing Circle of the ist church will meet Friday at the home of Mrs. Stephen ags to sew for the fair, which 10th and 11th. orton Reading Club will meet ce of Mrs. Frank E. DeCoater, ill. The subject for study late Anna Howard Shaw. Rust W. R. C., No. 45, will gular session Thursday even- the annual nomination of of- take place. A short program of the order will be pre- Mrs. Alta Sheen. A full at is hoped for.

WAYS TO ADVERTISE

NEWRY
Bailey went to Lewiston last returning Friday night. Bartlett and family took din day at A. E. Bailey's.
Kuman is still very ill. Mrs. k is helping care for her. Members of Sunday River is do carpenter work for W. N.
of Saturday night took the snow.

ATS DIE

ene they out RATESNA? e are color behind. Don't eed for it—try a package. ead won't touch it. Bats ill feed to get RATESNA? (1 cake) enough for Pastry. (2 cakes) for Chicken House. (3 cakes) for all out buildings, storage build ings, etc.
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Ladies' Zephyr Sweaters, in Tuxedo and Coat styles, 10.00 and 12.50
Fine Shetland Sweaters in Tuxedo style. Our excellent value at 15.00
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Quilted Vests for Christmas Gifts
Quilted Vests made with sleeves, 2.98—Quilted Vests without sleeves, at 1.50
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Middy Blouses in cotton, some with hannel collar, Serge Blouses, etc.

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In our big Basement Salesroom you will find hundreds of beautiful pieces of nickel ware, ideal for Christmas presents—Percolators, Coffee Machines, Chafing Dishes, Toasters, Sad Irons, Tea Pots, Coffee Pots, etc., etc.—Beautiful Dinnerware also, in stock patterns—may be bought in sets complete or in separate pieces—a big, big line.

WITH our extraordinary merchandise preparations for Christmas all completed, the interior special decorations ready, the dramatic arrival of Santa Claus (THE Santa Claus) all planned and arranged, the immense stocks of practical as well as the fanciful Christmas merchandise all opened up and attractively displayed; are all logical reasons why we shall be more than ever this season

Christmas Shopping Headquarters

You Can Begin Christmas Shopping Here NOW

From New, Clean, Fresh Stocks

THERE is no denying it, merchandise is scarce, has been scarce and will be, but because of our wise anticipations in buying we have assembled for this Holiday business, larger quantities of desirable and dependable merchandise than ever before gathered together in this store. And this is important—Many of the lines were secured months ago—they are worth substantially more in the market today—but our whole stock is marked for selling on the basis of the lowest cost—this means very lowest prices and best values procurable.—P., M. & B. Co.

Christmas Handkerchiefs

The Standard Gifts for Men, Women and Children. No one ever had too many Handkerchiefs. We show a wonderful assortment this season. 1st floor.

Children's Printed Handkerchiefs—colored, 10c or 3 for 25c.
Children's Boxed Handkerchiefs—Boxes of 3 for 39c and 59c.
Ladies' Linen Handkerchiefs, hand embroidered, 3 for 1.00
Ladies' Linen Initial Handkerchiefs, fine and sheer, 50c ea.
Initial Handkerchiefs, 15c up
Men's Initial Handkerchiefs at 15c, 25c, 50c and 75c each
Men's hand woven and hand hem-stitched—very fine, 2.50 ea.
Men's fine all linen Handkerchiefs, 50c, 75c, 1.00 and 2.00 each
Ladies' Spanish embroidered Handkerchiefs—5.00 to 7.50 ea.
Ladies' Boxed Handkerchiefs, 50c, 89c, 1.00 for box of 3.

Christmas Hosiery

Few gifts please more than those of beautiful Silk Stockings. Here they are in full holiday variety for women, children and infants.

Ladies' "Phoenix" Silk Hosiery, the queen of all Silk Hosiery, in white, black and colors, 1.35 up
Silk Stockings, full fashioned, black and colors, 2.00 to 3.25
Novelty Silk Stockings, many dainty styles, 1.50 to 4.50 pair
Embroidered socks Silk Hosiery, a fine line, 2.50 to 4.50 pair
Women's Fibre Silk Hosiery in black and white—at only 1.00 pair
Children's Silk Stockings in white, in a full run of sizes.
Children's one and one ribbed Silk Stockings, in white
Infants' Silk Stockings in one and one and five-1 ribbed. Some are in pink and sky, or in white.

Christmas Neckwear

From our splendid large stock of Holiday novelties you can readily pick out a dainty piece of Neckwear which will be sure to delight the recipient.

Windsor Ties in plaids—also plaid four-in-hand—every and any kind of plaid, 99c to 50c
Windsor Ties in plain colors, red, navy, black, blues and browns, at 35c to 50c each
Middy Ties in the large square or half square styles, 1.00 to 3.50
Lace Collars, Venise pointed, just right for the round neck dress, as popular at present, at 50c, 1.00 up to 3.00 each
Boudoir Caps—a wonderful line—very dainty ones at 50c
Other Boudoir Caps in grand variety at 1.00, 1.50, 2.00 to 6.50
Boxed on request.

Christmas Gloves

Never saw a lady yet who would not appreciate the gift of a handsome pair of Gloves. More especially a pair of our genuine French Kid or finest grade Mocha Gloves.

French Kid Gloves in black and colors—3.00 to 4.50 pair
One Clasp Mocha Gloves, 3.50.
Ladies' Wrist Cape Gloves at 2.50, 3.00 and 4.00 pair.
One clasp French Suede Gloves, grey, heaver, brown, at 3.50.
Duplex Gauntlets, 2.00 and 2.50.
Ladies' Fur Lined Gloves, 10.00.
Ladies' Fleece Lined Gloves of fine Mocha, 6.00 to 8.00 pair.
Ladies' Strap wrist Gauntlets at 4.00 and 4.50 pair.
Ladies' Slip-on Gauntlets at 3.50
Children's Kid Gloves, 1.85 and 2.00
Children's Mocha Gloves at 2.00
Chamoisette Gloves at 1.00.

Gift Things For Men

Our Men's Furnishings Department is full to overflowing with gifts for men and boys. The big new Holiday lines offer an unusual assortment of the things men like—and appreciate.

Men's Night Shirts, 1.15 to 2.25
Men's Pajamas from 2.25 to 4.00
Men's Outing Night Shirts, 1.85 up
Men's Outing Pajamas, 2.00 up
Men's Silk Shirts, 8.90 to 10.25
Men's Fibre Silk Shirts, 4.25 up
Men's Silk Hose at 90c to 1.50
Men's fancy Silk Hose, 1.75 pair
Men's Triple Top Hose at 50c pair
Men's Cotton Hose, 25c and 35c
Men's Cashmere Hose, 50c to 1.00
Men's Ties at 75c, 1.00, 1.50 to 4.00
Men's Gloves of Suede Cape and Mocha, from 2.50 to 5.00 pr.
Boys' Shirts, Blouses, Ties, Night Shirts, Pajamas, etc., etc.
Men's Shirts from 1.50 to 3.50

Christmas Slippers

In anticipation of the big Holiday demand we have assembled a splendid large line of Christmas Slippers for men, women and children. The assortment is at its best right now.

Women's Felt Slippers, cushioned soles, all the dainty colors in cluding taupe and Oxford, at 1.49
Women's Felt Slippers, leather soles and heels, all colors, at 1.75.
Indian Moccasins for men and women, also in children's sizes priced according to size and style—1.50 to 4.50 pair.
Men's Slippers, Oxford grey felt with cushioned sole that will stand hard service, at 1.50.
A finer quality at 2.00 pair.
Men's Leather Slippers—Kukskin, Everett and Romeo styles, 2.25.
Children's and Misses' Felt Slippers in Everett Boots and Pussie Boots styles at 75c to 1.25.

Christmas Gifts For Baby

From our Children's Dept. 2nd floor
Long and Short White Dresses at from 1.50 to 7.50 each.
Skirts and Princess Slips, 1.00 to 3.00.
Flannel Shirts and Gowns at from 1.00 to 3.50.
Worsted, Woollen, Soft Sole Shoes and Moccasins, 50c to 2.50.
Worsted and Cashmere Jackets at from 1.00 to 5.00.
Worsted Sweaters, Toggles, Tums, and Mittens, 50c to 75c.
Caps in silk, worsteds and angors, 1.00 to 3.95.
Cabbage Ropes of worsted, for, etc. or cotton and plain or embroidered Japanese robes, 3.00 to 30.00.
Worsted Leggings from 50c to 2.95.
Pant Leggings, 2.95 and 3.95.
Sweaters in colors, 2.95 to 5.95.
Sweater Pals from 50c to 12.50.
Bath Robes, 1 year to 5 years, in white and colors, 1.95 to 5.00.
For ages 6 to 16 years, 3.95 to 7.95
Infants' novelties—hundreds of them from 25c to 1.50.

Toys—Toys and Toys

Better than ever are we prepared to serve you in Toys this season. And when we make this statement, those who know us best, know exactly what it means and what to expect. We are surely "Headquarters" for Toys. Basement Salesroom.—P., M. & B. Co.

Toys from 25c to 25.00 each

Mind Builder Blocks
Doll's Furniture
Fox Spelling Slates
Children's Desks
Humpty Dumpty Circus
Reed Doll Carriages
China Tea Sets
Christmas Stockings
Mechanical Toys
Mechanical Train Sets
Metal Soldiers
Kon-Struct-It
Hill Climbing Toys
Reed Chairs and Rockers
Boys' and Girls' Sleds
Modelwood Blocks
Wood body Doll Carriages
Horses and Carts
Bowling Alleys
Stuffed Animal Toys
Ives' Train Sets
Tool Chest
Blocks and Cubes
Kiddie Cars
Velocipedes
Toy Pianos
Moving Picture Machines
Tintograph Sets
Chemcraft—new
Iron Toys—new ones
Teddy Bears
Lionel Train Sets
Coaster Sleds

and hundreds of others. Prices 25c to 25.00

Dolls

A grand showing of Dolls on our 4th floor—displayed in a big roomy space where selections may be made comfortably and satisfactorily. Dolls of all complexions, sizes and types. Dressed Dolls, undressed Dolls, character Dolls, unbreakable Dolls. American and Japanese beauties in wonderful assortment. Not only are Dolls scarce now—they will be scarcer. Prudent people will make early selections. Our prices are based upon the lowest cost—we advise all to select Dolls Now.
P., M. & B. Co.

Books

Christmas Books—Holiday Books, Books, Books, Books—Never before such a comprehensive showing—Here they are, thousands of them, and every Book is fresh and crisp. Books for children in better assortment than ever before. Books for Mother, Sister and Brother. Books for Dad and Books for "him" or "her." Everybody is pleased with the gift of a good Book. No matter what other gifts you may select—you will also buy Books—and we advise selecting them early while the lines are unbroken.—P., M. & B. Co.

Holiday Jewelry, Leather Goods

Pyraline Ivory, Stationery, Toilet Goods

All in Complete Christmas Stocks

You could stop at the above departments and satisfactorily check off your whole gift list for every member of the family. The goods too, are all bright, new and fresh.

Pyraline Ivory
Gifts from 25c to 6.00
Hair Brushes, Mirrors, Combs, Trays, Hair Receivers, Puff Boxes, Buffers, Perfume Bottles, Pictures, Frames, Jewel Boxes, Soap Cases, Pin Cushions, Manicure Articles, Clocks, etc.
Perfumes, Sachels and Toilet Waters
Melba, Coty, Houbigant, Rigaud, Roger and Gallet, River, Helmut, Kerkoff the leading standard makes at our low prices—Melba Gift Sets, 3.00 to 8.00
Gifts of Jewelry
50c up to 150.00
Solid Gold Jewelry—in Cuff Links, Heart Pins, Watchman Chains, Buttons, Cigar Cutters, Lavalieres, Brooches, Hair Pins, Neck Chains, Cuff Pins, Lingerie Clasp, Thumb Rings, Lockets, Rings, Neck Chains, Crosses, Pendants.
Gifts for Men, Women & Children.
Leather Goods
Gifts from 50c to 50.00
Shopping Bags, Hand Bags, Flat Purses, Change Purses, Bill Folds, Card Cases, Leather and Velvet Vanity Boxes, Leather faced Miniature Sets, Traveling Cases, Music Rolls, Leather novelties, Bag Deck Sets, Gold and Silver Metal Cloth Purses.
Beautiful Bags
50c to 54.25
Solid leaved Bags, Velvet embroidered Bags, Metal Ribbon Bags, Velvet silk trimmed Bags, Plain Velvet Bags, Silk Bags, Velvet Vanity Bags, Children's Velvet Bags.
Everything for the man who shaves—everything.

Especially for Christmas Gifts we have assembled unusually large lines of Lamps, Candelabra, Framed Pictures, Couch Covers, Suit Cases, Bags, Wardrobe Trunks, Bed Spreads, Comfortables, Fancy Linens, Etc.

Complete assortments also of fragrant Cedar Chests, Matting Utility Boxes, Japanese Cloisonne, Crotonnes, Damasks, Huck and Turkish Towels, Blankets, Satin Bed Spreads, Bath Robe Blankets, etc.

Those who are looking for Gifts out-of-the-ordinary will do well to Visit Our Special Gift Rooms on Fourth Floor

We are using our Furnishings Rooms for a display of unusual things for Holiday gifts—Odd pieces of furniture, decorative lamps and shades. Odd mirrors, sofa pillows, Belgian wrought iron lamps, Japanese Hawthorne Jars, Bamboo Bird cages, Chinese Boko ware, Candelabra, Wall Brackets, etc., etc.

Silk Petticoats

For Christmas Gifts
They come in colors to match or blend with the shades of the new suits and dresses.

Silk Petticoats, heatherbloom tops, our good value at 2.98.
The outsize at 3.98 each.
Taffeta Silk Petticoats in changeable colors, 5.00, 5.98 to 10.00.
Jersey top, taffeta flounce Petticoats at 5.00, 5.98 and 7.98.
Silk Jersey Petticoats in plain colors, at 5.98 each.

Silk Waists

For Christmas Gifts
Waists of Silk, Waists of Cotton, Waists of Georgette crepes—in regular and outsize—a big, big line.

Striped Wash Silk Waists, 2.98
Wash Silk Waists, flesh, white, 3.98
Crepes de Chine Waists, 5.00 to 10.00
Wash Satin Waists, 6.98, 7.98
Georgette Waists in light and dark colors, some with exquisite lace trimmings, 5.98 to 25.00.
Taffeta Silk Waists, stripes, 6.98
Striped Satin Waists at 6.98.
Black Silk Waists, Jap, at 3.98.
Black Crepe de Chine and Satin Waists at 5.98, 6.98, 7.98.
Silk Shirts of crepe de chine and pussy willow taffeta, 12.50 up.
Cotton Waists, 2.50 to 15.00.

Aprons! Aprons!

For Christmas Gifts
In our big stock of Holiday Aprons there is a pleasing gift for every woman.

Kimono Aprons, with belts or with elastic waist, 1.25 to 3.50.
Kitchen Aprons at 50c, 59c, 69c, 75c
Round Tea Aprons, Square Aprons, Maida Aprons, lace and hemburg trimmed, 75c, 1.00 to 2.25.
Nurses Aprons all styles, 1.75 up.
Waitress Aprons, small, 75c & 50c

Silk and Muslin Underwear

For Christmas Gifts
What a superb collection of exquisite pieces! How beautiful the colors and the trimmings!

Silk Undergarments in Envelope Chemises, Camisoles, Gowns, Skirts, Bloomers. Prices run 1.00 to 6.98 apiece.
Philippine Underwear in Envelope Chemises and Gowns—some with Irish lace, 2.50 to 12.95.
Muslin Undergarments in Envelope Chemises, Gowns, Skirts, Drawers, Corset Covers, Straight Chemises, Combinations. Prices run from 1.00 to 5.00 piece.

Christmas Cut Glass

We have not seen a larger or more comprehensive showing of beautiful Cut Glass pieces than we now have on exhibition.
Prices 1.50 to 65.00

Fancy China

For Christmas Gifts
Exquisite patterns and decorations on fine Japanese china—Mayonnaise dishes, Bon Bons, Cups and Saucers, Sugars and Creams, Bowls, Vases, etc.
Prices 1.00 to 16.00

Silverware
Sterling Silver, Silver Plated and Sheffield Plate—Gifts from 1.00 to 100.00

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THE NATIONAL CAPITAL

Events of Interest From Washington

By J. E. Jones

THE CONGRESSIONAL LOG-JAM

That there are other worlds to conquer, besides Europe, and Carranza, and, in a word, the most casual survey of the "jumpy" machinery of domestic problems. If Congressmen were garage men, they would find the gears and spark plugs all good up, and that the legislative machine had been running on too rich a mixture of foreign gas.

It has been said that before it adjourned Congress "got a running start" with some of the big problems of domestic legislation, but aside from having practically failed in carrying out any "reconstruction" program, the "running start" must have been along a sticky pathway, since the permanent military establishment, the National guard, and compulsory universal military training have not made any more progress than other classes of legislation. Even the "regular army," with its dangle and splash of splendor, seems to have been unable to get its bill through the log-jam of Congress. This is not like the days of the past, before the war.

The Senate has been pursuing the policy of "do one thing at a time," with the tail end of the proverb, "and that one thing well." In the meantime the House has been grinding its gears, and sending it along to the Senate, where the legislative bill have been running over. For there is the unsolved railroad measure to return the lines to their owners. The merchant marine, started on its way during war time, is floundering in the choppy seas of law-making. The "budget bill," which offers a new way for making Government appropriations, has passed the House and is in the Senate. When Mr. Taft was President he opined that the country would well might be saved if this scheme was enacted, and now that he is back college-professing again, some of the Congressmen are following the lights he left burning on the altars of good government. The oil leasing bill is in conference, the water power bill went through the House some days ago, to become stalled, as usual, in the Senate. Other legislation hanging fire, largely because the Senate spent from June to November in ceaseless talking, includes bills to repeal the laws on soft drinks, the regulation of the manufacture and importation of dyes; the bill to furnish aid to and cooperation with the states in vocational training and re-education of those injured in industry, including agriculture and transportation; the bill to amend and strengthen the War Risk, the bill for a comprehensive plan for the regulation of railroads; the bill for depositing undistributed stores.

Among the other high spots of legislative scrambling ships that passed in the night were: that the legislation should "pass," is a poor little bill for the regulation of the packers. There are a few of the things that were "left over" by Congress. And still, Speaker Gillett predicts that they will all be gotten out of the way, and that after passing the appropriation bill, the sessions of Congress will be a happy and successful one.

FARMS AND FERTILIZERS

"There can be no other interest" that a nation can make than to add to its territory by taking from desert and waters and desolation, land that is now useless, was the statement of Secretary of the Interior Lane, upon a recent occasion.

We have had vegetation projects with seed money in our country, and when the mortgage is so big that they place the farm all over, the Government came to the rescue by paying the farm down, in order that the farmer might get still more money on the farm. Good roads, dairy farms, telephones and guaranteed prices for wheat have been among the fruits shaken from the plain tree that has dropped into the farmers' laps.

Naturally, Congress is interested in the business of farming, and it is especially so in the present year. That is why the bill for the extension of the farm loan act, which was passed in the House last week, is now in the Senate. The bill provides for the extension of the farm loan act, which was passed in the House last week, is now in the Senate.

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SONGO FORD

Miss Grace Clough has returned to her home in Bethel after spending a few days with her cousin, Miss Maxine Clough.

Fred E. Murphy has finished up deer hunting and gone into the woods cutting birch and wood for L. N. Kimball. He succeeded in getting a very good deer.

Will McAllister and family of the Dresser District have moved into F. L. Edwards' rent at Patten's mills. John McAllister is boarding with them. They have taken a job to haul the birch, pine and pulp.

C. P. Upton and Ted Baker are working for Lyman Wheeler over on Long Mountain, helping him saw up his pulp. Mr. Millard Clough has returned to his work in No. Waterford, after spending a few days at home.

Miss Blanche Emery is stopping in Bethel for awhile with her cousin, Mrs. Elsworth Wilbur.

Mrs. Lottie Harriman and Miss Addie Donahue were callers at A. B. Kimball's one day last week.

Mr. Roscoe Emery spent a few days with his daughter, Mrs. Tom Logan, last week.

Sunday guests at C. P. Upton's were: Harry Churchill, Mr. and Mrs. Ford Sylvester, Mr. and Mrs. Wilbert Baker and baby Jane and Mr. Swicker.

The selection met at the Town House, Saturday, to pay for the sheep and hens the people have had killed by wild animals.

John Adams and A. A. Bruce were at Abner Kimball's, recently, on business.

John Hazelton and Mrs. Millard Clough were callers at John Kimball's at Locke's Mills one day last week.

Carlton Penley has returned to his work in Bethel.

Fred Hagood was a caller at Geo. Hagood's, Sunday.

P. H. Bennett, who has been on the sick list, is able to be out again.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Inman and children, Mrs. B. C. Kimball and Charles Kimball were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Decker, Thanksgiving day.

Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Upton and Miss Violet were Thanksgiving guests in Norway at Mr. Upton's sister's, Mrs. Virgil Dunn's, where a family reunion took place.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Donahue and Miss Donahue of Auburn were Thanksgiving guests of Mrs. Donahue's father, Mr. Freeman Bennett.

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WEST PARIS

The W. C. T. U. held a helpful and interesting meeting at the Universalist church Sunday evening.

There was a good attendance at the union Thanksgiving service at the M. E. church Wednesday evening.

Nearly all the school children of West Paris have been vaccinated, and it is understood North Paris will follow. The efforts of the board of health have been very commendable, and in most cases they have received the hearty cooperation of the parents.

S. B. Ellingwood has returned from a hunting and trapping trip to the lakes. Besides considerable other game, he trapped a catfish valued at more than seventy-five dollars.

Nathan Brock is in very poor health and is at a hospital for treatment.

Mrs. Harry Jacobs visited her sister, Jessie Ross of North Paris, at the Central Maine General Hospital last week. Mary Patch accompanied her to see her mother.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Bates, who have been keeping house in one of L. C. Bates' tenements, have packed their goods and will return to Florida. They left Wednesday for Portland to spend Thanksgiving with his uncle, Dr. Thayer, and his mother who is spending the winter there. They will visit Mrs. Bates' relatives in New Haven, Conn., before going South.

There were a good number of Thanksgiving visitors in town, and many were entertained away.

Dr. and Mrs. F. E. Wheeler and daughter, Dorothy, entertained Dr. and Mrs. Alwood and daughter of Buckfield.

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Barden's guests were Mrs. Marietta Willis and Mrs. Emma W. Mann of South Paris.

Mrs. Mary Stevens and Miss Minnie Stevens dined with the family of C. B. Stevens at North Paris.

At R. T. Flavin's the family circle was complete, Arthur Flavin, who is still in Y. M. C. A. service, arriving Wednesday, and Wright, who since returning from across has been in railroad employ, also being able to be at home.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis C. Bates were guests of their nephew, Dr. Harold Bates, and family at Rochester, N. H.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Day spent the day with Mr. and Mrs. Everett Robbins of Sumner.

Mr. and Mrs. Abner H. Mann and children went to Portland, Wednesday, to visit for the remainder of the week with Mrs. Mann's relatives.

The family of Eugene Haines were entertained with his parents at Bethel. Mrs. Martha Dunham entertained Fred Dunham and family of North Paris.

Mrs. Elvina Dennen was at Woodstock with her niece, Mrs. E. B. Davis.

The family party at A. C. Verham's was composed of the host and hostess, their sons Donald, Stanley and Harold, from the Y. M. C. A. of Bethel, Harold, from the Y. M. C. A. of Bethel, and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Merrill of South Paris.

E. W. Penley and Allen Tenley entertained Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Penley and son Donald of Portland, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Herrick, George Penley of St. Paris, and Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Hildon.

Rev. and Mrs. Markley of Gardiner and Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Stillwell and son Edward.

Oswald Rebekah Lodge, No. 29, observed its thirtieth anniversary at the regular meeting, Dec. 2. A banquet was served at the close of the meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Merrill are receiving the congratulations and best wishes of a host of friends on their marriage, Nov. 26. Mr. Merrill has made quite a circle of acquaintances here, and Mrs. Merrill, who is the daughter of Augusta L. Bacon, has always lived here. She is a graduate of South Paris High school and Farmington Normal school, and for the past three years has been a teacher at that school. Mrs. Merrill is a member of the West Paris Universalist church, and when at home has sung in the choir.

A wedding of interest is that of Frank C. Packard to Miss Fannie Little of Bethel. Mr. Packard is the son of Dr. and Mrs. P. H. Packard, and was graduated in June from West Paris High school. Mrs. Packard is a successful school teacher and taught for some time here in West Paris. Both young people are popular, and have many friends.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Mann gave a farewell party Tuesday evening in honor of Mr. and Mrs. H. Bates. Among the guests were Mr. and Mrs. Bert Day, F. P. McKenney, Mabel Barker, besides Mr. and Mrs. Bates and the host and hostess, who were formerly members of the Happy Day White Club, which was formerly one of the social factors of the village. What was a first party was won by Mrs. Bates and Mrs. McKenney, and came last party by Mrs. Day and Dr. H. Bates. Refreshments of ice cream, crackers, fruit, nuts and punch were served.

Mr. F. H. Russell underwent an operation for hernia at his home on Main street, Saturday. The operation was performed by Dr. Margie of Lewiston, assisted by Dr. Wheeler. He has a recovery and is reported as doing well.

Mrs. B. L. Patch and William Swan have returned from the U. M. C. H. at South Paris.

THANKSGIVING NOTES

(Continued from page 1)

Miss Fannie Mason was entertained at the home of Mr. Beth Walker.

Mr. C. V. Churchill spent Thanksgiving with friends in Colebrook.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Wood were guests at A. B. Grover's on Grover Hill.

Mr. Herbert Dean of Auburn was the guest of Mr. Ed. Smith and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Harlan Wheeler and daughter, Ruth, dined at Maple Inn.

Mr. Gordon and Mr. Earl Williams dined with Mrs. Lizzie Thurston.

Rev. and Mrs. W. C. Curtis were in Auburn, guests of Dr. Baker and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Walker were guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wakefield.

Miss Bertha Cole was in Locke's Mills with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Cole.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Perkins of South Paris spent the day with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bartlett.

Walter Ring and family of West Paris spent the day with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kendall.

Mr. Wesley Wheeler and family were guests of Mr. and Mrs. I. H. Wilson at Northwest Bethel.

Mr. George Stearns of Locke's Mills was the guest of his brother, Adolmar Stearns, and family.

Dr. E. L. Brown and family entertained Mrs. Brown's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Swan.

Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Morrill of West Bethel spent the day with Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Bennett.

Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Conroy of Mechanic Falls were entertained at the home of Mr. John Swan.

Mr. E. P. Lyon and family and Mr. Harry Carter were entertained at the home of Mrs. Ella Carter.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Goodridge of Gorham, N. H., were guests of his father, Mr. Wallace Goodridge.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Robertson of Lewiston spent the day with their son, Mr. Frank Robertson, and family.

Mr. Sherman Hazelton and family were entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Anderson.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bailey of South Paris and Mr. Ernest Blakes were guests of Mrs. Sarah Frost.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Young and son Donald were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Maxlin at Norway.

Miss Mary Cummings entertained Mr. Alvan Cummings and family and Mr. Lewis West of Massachusetts.

Miss Ernestine Philbrook of Bates College was the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Philbrook.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert York and daughter spent the day with Irving Wilson and family at Northwest Bethel.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Bartlett and son, Wilbert, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Bartlett at East Bethel.

Mr. and Mrs. H. N. Upton, Miss Abbie Upton and Miss Elizabeth Chapman were guests of relatives in Portland.

Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Hall entertained Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Duck and three sons, Leon, Everett and Archie, and Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Duck and son Marvin.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Brown and family entertained Mr. and Mrs. Beth Mason and daughter Clara, Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Brown and Mr. Olin Boothman.

Max M. L. Thurston entertained Mr. Ray Thurston and family of Andover, Mrs. Edna Stevens and two daughters of Portland, Mr. Thomas Brown and family and Mr. Walter Thurston and family.

Mr. W. B. Twiss and family entertained Mr. and Mrs. Abner Brooks of Upton, Mr. and Mrs. George L. Brooks and daughter Adeline of Portland, and Mr. and Mrs. D. Grover Brooks.

Mr. Fred Clark and family entertained Mr. and Mrs. Mamie Donahue of Bethel, Mrs. Emma Bartlett, Mrs. Edna Hall and Mr. W. J. Douglas of West Bethel, Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Burke, Mrs. Millie Clark and Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Farber.

Mr. Harry Hines and family entertained Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Richardson and daughter Blanche, and their daughter Miss Alice and Ruth Brown who were home from their schools in Vermont and Freeport.

Mrs. B. L. Patch and William Swan have returned from the U. M. C. H. at South Paris.

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SOUTH ALBANY	
Sherman Allen returned to Portland, Sunday, after spending Thanksgiving at home.	
Miss Verna Kimball returned to Norway High School, Sunday.	
Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Kimball, whose wedding anniversary occurred on Nov. 25, went to a sleigh ride in the same sleigh which they went to be married in forty seven years ago.	
Oliver Wardwell, who has been spending his vacation at home, has returned to Portland.	
Boy Wardwell finished making cider, Saturday.	
Ernest Grover was in Norway, Sunday.	
Will McAllister and family have moved to Patten's mills, where he has employment this winter.	
Leon Kimball recently purchased a car of J. A. Kimball.	
Merton Young from Hallowell has been in town a few days, hunting.	
Arthur McKenney and Carroll Lewis are changing work cutting wood.	
Cecil Kimball and Hazel Wardwell were in Bethel on business last Tuesday. Marion Allen came home from Bethel, Monday.	
WEST BETHEL	
There was preaching Sunday at the Union church by Rev. Newman of So. Paris.	
School resumed its work Tuesday after a recess of a week.	
Harold and Ruth Barden of West Medway, Mass., students at Bates College, spent their Thanksgiving recess as guests of Miss Grace Farwell.	
Mrs. Mary Bean and daughter Gladys are visiting Mrs. Bean's sister, Mrs. Alfreda Farwell. Mrs. Bean, whose home is in Littleton, Colorado, has not been in this part of the country for thirty seven years, and this is the first time her daughter has been in the East. They are visiting friends and relatives in Maine and Massachusetts.	
Catherine Brackett of Oxford was up for a few days during the last of the week.	
Mrs. A. J. P. and daughter Marie, of South Paris spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Morrill.	
Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Brown of Auburn were up Saturday, leaving their auto, and returning on the train Sunday morning.	
NOTICE	
The subscriber hereby gives notice that she has been duly appointed administratrix of the estate of Carrie M. Farwell late of Auburn in the County of Oxford, deceased, and gives bonds to the law directors. All persons having demands against the estate of said deceased are desired to present the same for settlement, and all indebted there to are requested to make payment immediately.	
GENTLEMAN FARMER POOR.	
November 19th, 1919	
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Charter No. 7613 Reserve District No. One REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE BETHEL NATIONAL BANK, At Bethel, in the State of Maine, at the close of business on Nov. 17, 1919.	
RESOURCES	
1 a Loans and discounts, including real estate loans, (except those shown in b and c),	\$76,233.37
2 a U. S. bonds deposited to secure circulation (par value), 10,000.00	
3 f Owned and unpledged securities,	23,942.00
Total U. S. Government securities,	34,942.00
6 c Securities, other than U. S. bonds (not including stocks), owned and unpledged,	40,301.50
8 Stock of Federal Reserve Bank (50 per cent of subscription),	1,050.00
12 Lawful reserve with Federal Reserve Bank,	14,000.00
14 Cash in vault and not amounts due from National banks,	61,794.53
16 Total of Items 13, 14, 15, 16, and 17,	64,794.53
18 Checks on banks located outside of city or town of reporting bank and cash items,	302.43
19 Hedcmpleys fund with U. S. Treasurer and due from U. S. Treasurer,	500.00
20 Interest earned but not collected — approxi- mately on Notes and Bills Receivable not past due,	1,000.00
Total, LIABILITIES	\$245,139.51
22 Capital stock paid in,	\$25,000.00
23 Surplus fund,	10,000.00
24 a Undivided profits,	14,991.58
b Less current expenses, interest, and taxes paid,	1,318.79
25 Interest and discount collected or credited, in advance of maturity and not earned (approximately),	1,000.00
26 Circulating notes outstanding,	9,500.00
27 Certified checks outstanding,	4.99
Total of Items 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, and 27,	4399
28 Individual deposits (not yet to check),	183,013.93
Total of demand deposits (other than bank deposits) subject to Reserve, Items 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, and 33,	\$183,013.93
Total,	\$245,139.51
STATE OF MAINE, COUNTY OF OXFORD, SS: I, ELIERY C. PARK, Cashier of the above named bank do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief. ELIERY C. PARK, Cashier. Subscribed and sworn to before me as the Clerk of said Court, this _____ day of _____, 1919. A. E. HERRICK, Notary Public. Correct — Attest: E. M. WALKER, C. E. LOR. IRA C. JORDAN,	